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THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—Dispaches from Sumter county, Ala., report all quiet.

—Budd Dobble, with a lot of fast horses, passed through Omaha on Saturday for San Francisco.

—Dr. J. M. Botts, a prominent physician of Woodford county, Ky., has been missing since Wednesday.

—A man named Edward Doucher, a German, accidentally shot and killed himself at Elk Horn, Neb., last Thursday night.

—The political aspect in Nebraska is decidedly interesting. All hands are working hard. The election takes place to-morrow.

—A lad, named Eugene Webster, was drowned about four miles above Cloverport, Kentucky, while attempting to cross the river with four or five companions in a skiff.

—The drought in a portion of Alabama continues. It cut off the cotton crop about one-third, and ruined the pea, sweet potato and turnip crops. There have been no good rains there for nearly three months.

—General Shaler, of New York, is to re-organize the Chicago fire department. He will act in the capacity of General Director. The salary to be paid is ten thousand dollars, which has been provided for by personal subscriptions.

—The line of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad from Chicago to South Chicago was opened on Saturday by a special train. The work upon the road is being pushed vigorously, with the view of opening it for traffic early next month.

—In the United States Circuit Court, in session in Richmond, Va., the Grand Jury indicted two more of the Judges of Election in Petersburg for violating the Enforcement act. This makes sixteen of the Petersburg judges that have been indicted.

—The Salt Lake Grand Jury last Friday evening brought in an indictment against Thos. E. Recks for murder committed fourteen years ago. Recks is the juryman who was indicted on Thursday for polygamy, and is now in the penitentiary, having refused to give bail.

—General R. W. Healy, United States Marshal for Alabama, has appointed some dozen or more deputy marshals upon the recommendation of Chas. E. Mayer, Chairman of the Republican Executive Committee of that State. These deputies have been appointed in negro counties, and are all Republicans.

—At Hickman, Ky., on Saturday, while several children were at play under an embankment, the earth suddenly gave way and slid down upon them, catching Harry Campbell, a little boy of six years, in its descent, burying him under a large solid mass, and killing him instantly. His playfellows escaped.

—A dispatch from Knoxville, Tenn., states that Rev. George Washington Levere declines the call of colored citizens to run for Congress, on account of his moral worth unfitting him to be a Congressman. He proposes to stand by the National Republican party, despite the puny politicians, and determines to remain in the Gospel ministry.

—On Saturday a Mrs. Young, of Mt. Carmel, Ills., went to Loganburg, on the C. & V. R. R., to collect some money due her step-son by a Mrs. Donahue, of the latter place. In a dispute which followed Mrs. Young emptied a pistol loaded with shot in Mrs. Donohue's bowels. Mrs. Donohue is not expected to live. Mrs. Young is in jail.

—A letter addressed to the President by a prominent Conservative politician in Mississippi argues that the only true way to restore peace and prosperity to the South is for Congress to pass an act to pay for quartermasters' and commissary stores taken by the Union army in the South during the war, and to refund the cotton tax. The letter has been referred to the Attorney General.

—The petition to the Episcopal Convention for delay in the confirmation of Bishop Seymour, of Illinois, was forwarded to New York on Saturday, having, it is said, received the signatures of a majority of the late Diocesan Convention of Illinois. On the other hand, the Standing Committee of the Diocese telegraphed to the General Convention a request to take no notice of the petition.

—President Grant and party left St. Louis on Saturday evening for Texas via the Missouri Pacific and Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad. Generals Sheridan and Auger will join the party at Sedalia. The New York capitalists who have been spending a few days at St. Louis will meet the President's party at Vienna, I. T., and probably accompany them to Texas. It is expected that at Vienna and Caddo delegations of Indians will meet the President and have a talk. On the return trip the President's party will probably visit Kansas City, Lawrence, Leavenworth, Atchison and St. Joseph, and thence proceed to Washington direct.

WEATHER REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER,
UNITED STATES SIGNAL SERVICE,
PITTSBURGH, Pa., October 11, 1874.

Local Observations.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Humidt.	Wind.	Weather.
7 A. M.	29:83	50	72	N. W.	Cloudy
2 P. M.	29:85	60	44	N. W.	Fair
9 P. M.	30:02	48	71	N. W.	Clear

Mean Barometer, 29:83
Mean Thermometer 51.
Highest Thermometer, 63.
Lowest Thermometer, 48.

GEO. H. ROHE,
Obs'v. Sergt., Sig. Service, U. S. A.

Daily Bulletin.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATORY,
PITTSBURGH, Oct. 11, 1874, 10:48 P. M.

The weather at Cairo was clear, thermometer 53; Cincinnati, fair, thermometer 50; Davenport, Iowa, clear, theremometer 38; Fort Gibson, I. T., fair, thermometer 56; Fort Sully, D. T., clear, thermometer 36; Indianapolis, Ind., fair, thermometer 47; Keokuk, Iowa, clear, thermometer 43; La Crosse, Wisconsin, clear, thermometer 42; Leavenworth, Kas., clear, thermometer 45; Louisville, Ky., clear, thermometer 50; Memphis, Tenn., clear, thermometer 58; Nashville, Tenn., clear, thermometer 64; Omaha, Neb., clear, thermometer 38; Shreveport, La., clear, thermometer 68; St. Louis, Mo., clear, thermometer 46; St. Paul, clear, thermometer 34; Vicksburg, Miss., clear, thermometer 66; Yankton, clear, thermometer 54; North Platte, clear, thermometer 44.

GEO. H. ROHE, Observer.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, D. C., 1 A. M., Oct. 12, 1874.

Probabilities for To-Day.

For the Middle States, rising barometer, northwest winds, decidedly cooler and generally clear weather, with frosts in the northern and northwestern portions.

THE CAPITAL.

WASHINGTON, October 10, 1874.

Conference on Compensation for Railway Mail Service.

Col. Tom Scott, President of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and Mr. Hinckley, President of the Philadelphia, Wilmington & Baltimore Railroad, had a three hours' conference with Postmaster General Jewell today, in regard to the disputed questions of compensation for railway mail service. General Bangs, Superintendent of this branch of the postal service, also took part in the informal discussion. It is now confidently believed all matters at issue will be amicably and satisfactorily arranged without further serious difficulty. The railway Presidents will embody their views in writing for the consideration of the department, and meanwhile Col. Scott assures the Postmaster General that he will do everything in his power to secure rapid transit for the mails and increase the facilities of the postal car service.

WASHINGTON, October 11, 1874.

Important Cases Before the Supreme Court.

In addition to the so-called "Granger" cases, involving the constitutionality of the Wisconsin Railroad law, and the Grant Parish (La.) case, which involves the constitutionality of the "Ku-Klux" law, there will come before the Supreme Court this term a case to be certified from the Supreme Court of the State of California, involving the constitutionality of the law of that State prohibiting the landing of Chinese women brought to the United States for immoral purposes. It will be remembered that Mr. Justice Field, recently holding a Circuit Court in California, decided, on a writ of *habeas corpus*, that this law is in conflict with the fourteenth article of the amendments. All of the above mentioned cases will undoubtedly, in consideration of their great public importance, be advanced on the docket.

FIRST EDITION.

POLITICAL.

Speech by Secretary Delano.

The Finances and Southern Affairs Discussed.

The Duty of the Republican Party Explained.

MT. VERNON, O., October 11.—Secretary Delano addressed a large and enthusiastic meeting at the Court House in this city last evening. Mr. Delano reviewed at length the past history of the Republican and Democratic parties, making comparisons between the two with remarkable clearness and force. He dealt severely with Ku-Klux, White Leaguers, and other thing of the South, whom he denounced in the bitterest terms. He recounted the injuries now being inflicted upon the negroes in the late rebel States, and clearly foreshadowed the course which the Administration would adopt toward those people. The Secretary argued that the emancipated blacks were in a measure the nation's wards, and until persecution, rapine and murder on account of race, color or previous condition should cease, the duties devolved upon the Republican party by the Almighty would not be fulfilled. He stated that the obligations of the Republican party were to elevate and improve this class of people and protect them in their rights before the law, and if the great party of ideas should desert its principles upon any collateral issues and neglect to perform its obligations toward those whom it had lately invested with citizenship and the elective franchise, that it deserved to be beaten, and most assuredly would be punished. The Secretary gave the prohibitionists some

Sound and Friendly Advice,

and warned the Republicans from being drawn off upon side issues to the abandonment of higher and more important questions. He thought that personal liberty, the right to hold by an alien of real estate and dispose of personal property, the right of free locomotion, and, in a word, the guarantees of life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, were worthy of some consideration, and that the man who ignored all these for one

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let it be temperance, religion, trades-union, or any of the still more modern "isms," was pursuing a course calculated, if not designed, to restore the Democratic party to power, and thus to defeat rather than attain the objects desired. Referring to

The Trouble in the South,

the Secretary remarked that the people in the South, especially in the disaffected portions, had recently written and spoken much regarding the President, probably hoping by flattery and fawning to cover their real purposes of rapine, murder and anarchy, and that while professing great loyalty to the Government and the utmost solicitude concerning the President, the rascals had been shipping and distributing arms among their

Oath-Bound Assassins

to bring about the very revolution which was so recently inaugurated in Louisiana. But the President understood them; when a parley was sought or explanations were attempted, the President required, first of all, that the insurrections be put down, and instantly the rebels surrendered.

The Secretary argued that the President was true to the great principles of the Republican party, and that he would use all the force at his command, when legally required, to execute the laws and enforce order and good government.

Financial Questions.

The Secretary then proceeded to discuss at length the financial questions. He charged the Democratic party with the responsibility of the war, and with prolonging its duration, whereby its total actual cost has reached nearly, if not quite, four thousand millions. He adverted to the fact that of this immense sum one-half had already been paid. Our debt was now only about twenty-one hundred millions. He demonstrated the statesmanship of the Republican party in dealing with this question, and explained how largely taxation had been reduced since the close of the war, and especially during President Grant's administration. The Secretary then adverted to the

Repudiation Sentiments of the Democratic Party,

and denounced them severely. He asserted that those who purchased bonds during the war were patriots worthy of all praise; that to dishonor our notes discounted under such circumstances, and for such a consideration, namely, the life of the nation, would be an act so dishonorable as never to be forgiven by the civilized powers of the world, and he could not imagine how any but rebels and rebel sympathizers could support it.

Where the Money Goes.

Adverting to the charge of extravagance, he showed from official records that of the two hundred and ninety millions now annually expended for all purposes, one hundred and fifty-seven millions, or over one-half, was required to pay the interest on the public debt, pensions to our soldiers, and other expenses growing out of the Democratic slaveholders' rebellion. He then demonstrated that the expenses of the Government, deducting those created by the rebellion, were not so great per capita as the expenses of the Government were during Buchanan's administration, and but a trifle larger than they had been during the administration of Mr. Van Buren.

The Duty of the Republican Party.

He said, in conclusion, that the mission of the Republican party would not be ended until the civil rights of the emancipated race were fully secured and law and order placed on a solid foundation in the entire South, nor until the sacred obligations of duty in regard to the public debt were everywhere acknowledged, and therefore Republicans should stand by their colors and not be misled nor deceived by collateral issues, cunningly devised to divide and defeat the great party which saved the Union.

LOUISIANA.

Armed White Leaguers on the Streets of New Orleans—A Large Number of State Arms Not Returned, as Directed by the President's Proclamation—The Situation Said to be Critical—Governor Kellogg Still Guarded at the State House.

NEW ORLEANS, October 10.—The appearance of a squad of twenty armed White Leaguers on Canal street last midnight was officially reported to the Governor, military authorities and Marshal Packard by the Chief of Police.

The Adjutant General of the State militia officially reports that the following arms belonging to the State, captured in the operations of September 14th and the following days, have not been returned to the State authorities or surrendered to the United States forces, as directed by the President's proclamation. The list embraces two twelve pound howitzers, 1,682 improved small arms, 1,500 bayonets, 85 swords, and a large quantity of ammunition, uniforms and accoutrements. In place of these arms, the Adjutant General states that the authorities have been put in possession of a quantity of comparatively worthless and damaged Belgian rifles, believed to belong to citizens of New Orleans. The communications have been transmitted to General Emery.

NEW YORK, October 11.—A *Herald* New Orleans special says the situation there is very critical. Kellogg is still guarded at the State House by police and military. The White Leagues are defiant, and continue demonstrations nightly. Fifteen thousand negroes have entered the upper parishes of Louisiana from Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana, to register as voters. Madison parish, formerly equally divided, is now said to register 200 whites against 2,300 blacks. It is explained that much of the immigration from Tennessee is owing to terror created by the Trenton massacre. The correspondent believes this large influx of Republican voters will carry the State for Kellogg at the next election.

The *Times'* special from New Orleans says at an early hour on Saturday morning a number of negroes were creating a disturbance in an upper ward. Three or four patrolman, unable to stop the fight, gladly availed themselves of the assistance of a company of White Leaguers offered by Col. Angell, and the negroes were easily dispersed and quiet restored.

Mexicans Organizing to Invade Texas—A Border War Imminent.

GALVESTON, TEXAS, October 11.—A Brownsville dispatch says: The organization of bandits to invade Texas has been partially suspended on account of high water on this side and the almost impassible condition of the country. Information received from undoubted sources says that the plan of operations is to strike a detachment of troops stationed to prevent the crossing of stolen cattle, and then to murder and rob generally. General Cortina heads the movement. The people on this side are organizing to defend themselves. The military are in possession of the facts and on the alert. Mounted men are held ready to move at short notice. A border war has never been more imminent.

Nashville Races.

NASHVILLE, October 10.—First race, for three year olds, mile heats; won by Vanderbilt. Time 1:46½, and 1:48¼.

Second race, 1¼ miles dash; won by Arizona. Time 2:42½.

Third race, mile heats for beaten horses; won by Astral. Time 1:47¼, 1:49 and 1:49½.

NEW YORK.

Proceedings of the Episcopal Convention.

FUNERAL OF MARK SMITH.

NEW YORK, October 10, 1874.

Protestant Episcopal Convention.

Rev. Myer Lewin, of Maryland, introduced, with a long preamble, the following resolution:

Resolved, The House of Bishops concurring, that the following canon of ritual uniformity be enacted:

SECTION 1. The elevation of the elements in holy communion in such a manner as to expose them to the view of the people as objects towards which adoration is to be made in or after the prayer of consecration, or in the act of administering or in carrying them to or from the communicants, bowings, crossings, genuflexions, prostrations, reverences, bowing down upon or kissing the Lord's table, acknowledging, except as allowed, provided for or directed by the rubric or canon, and any gesture, posture or act implying such adoration, or any ceremony not prescribed as part of the order for the administration of the Lord's Supper or holy communion, likewise the use at any administration of the holy communion of any hymns, prayers, collects, epistles or gospels other than those appointed in the authorized formula of the Church, are hereby forbidden.

SEC. 2. In all matters pertaining to public worship of the church, to the ornament, arrangement and appointments of the holy table, and in everything connected with the ritual in the performance of Divine service, including the vestments to be used about which there is no specific direction in the Book of Common Prayer, or offices and ordinal thereto appended, or in any legislation, general or diocesan, of this Church, the admonition or judgment of the Bishops of any diocese given in writing shall be regarded as binding, to be followed and obeyed by every minister of that diocese.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Canons.

Several other resolutions were presented looking to legislation for the prohibition of ritualistic forms and practices.

Rev. Dr. Knickerbocker, of Minnesota, submitted the form of a new canon, which was referred, on his motion, to the Committee on Canons. It provides that the senior Bishop of the Church, on becoming Presiding Bishop, or at any time thereafter, may resign the jurisdiction of his diocese by issuing notice to that effect to all Bishops and standing committees of the Church. In the event of doing so, the Treasurer of the General Convention shall annually assess and collect from each diocese a sum equal to one dollar for every clergyman canonically connected therewith, and pay over the same in quarterly instalments to the Presiding Bishop as his salary. The diocese over which the Presiding Bishop has had diocesan jurisdiction shall provide a residence for him during the rest of his life, and shall be relieved of all other payment on his salary except the annual assessment. A Board of trustees shall be appointed at each session of the General Convention to manage the fund for the support of the Presiding Bishop, and to collect and invest the endowment for that purpose, and when the annual interest on this fund shall reach the sum of $5,000, such interest shall be paid to the Presiding Bishop as his salary, and assessments on the diocese shall cease.

The Convention then adjourned until Monday.

NEW YORK, October 11, 1874.

Funeral of Mark Smith.

The funeral services over the remains of Mark Smith, the actor, were held this afternoon at "The Little Church Round the Corner." The church was thronged. Dr. Houghton read the funeral services of the P. E. Church. The pall bearers included John Fisher, Lester Wallack, Whitelaw Reid, A. Oakey Hall, Henry Ledley, H. G. Palmer, Douglass Taylor and Wm. Winter. The remains were taken to Greenwood.

Cuban Anniversary Celebration.

The Cubans in this city celebrated the sixth anniversary proclamation of the Cuban republic to-day with appropriate religious services in the Church de Santiago.

The Gubernatorial Canvass in South Carolina.

CHARLESTON, S. C., October 11.—Reports from the interior of the State show that the excitement concerning the gubernatorial canvass runs very high. Gov. Moses has taken the stump for Chamberlain. Yesterday Chamberlain, Moses and colored Congressman Elliott went to Sumpter, the home of Moses, where Judge Green, Independent Republican candidate, also resides, and has great personal popularity. A mass meeting of colored Republicans of the county was called, but they refused to hear either Chamberlain, Moses or Elliott, drowning their voices amid cheers for Green. An Independent Republican meeting was organized and addressed by several local speakers in denunciation of the Chamberlain and Moses party, who returned to Columbia, indignant at being refused a hearing.

A CASE OF SUICIDE.

A Young Man Shoots Himself at the St. James Hotel.

On Saturday a young man arrived at the St. James Hotel, where he registered his name as James Edwards, from Philadelphia, and engaged a room stating that he would want it until 6 o'clock the same evening. He was shown to his quarters, where he remained but a short time, when he returned to the office and procured two sheets of paper and the same number of envelopes, after which he again went to his room. He was not seen after this, and about half past four o'clock a report of a pistol was heard coming from his department, when the chambermaid gave the alarm to those below, and an examination was at once made by Mr. B. Cone, the porter. On going to the room he found it locked, and on bursting the door open, discovered the young man lying on the floor with a single barrel Derringer pistol by his side, with which it is supposed he had inflicted a fatal wound in his right temple, from which the blood was issuing profusely. He only breathed twice after being found and all was over. The Coroner was notified, and on arriving, made a careful examination of the wound, when it was found that the ball from the pistol had passed entirely through the brain, and could be felt just under the skin at the left temple. A jury was impanneled, and after a careful examination rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts. No papers were found upon his person, by which he could be identified. It is thought that the name placed upon the hotel register was an assumed one, and that he operated very carefully in order that no clue could be had to his former whereabouts. He wore a common black hat, a black coat and vest, and light pantaloons with a very small dark stripe. His coat had upon the inside of the collar the trademark of "Delvin & Co., New York." His pants had the name of the maker upon the buttons—"Nicoll, the Tailor." He wore a small gold ring with four small, light-green sets in it, and two of a crimson color. In the inside of the ring were these initials, H. C. V. V. He carried a small, white-handled pocket-knife. On his handkerchief were the initials, "M. B.," marked with indelible ink. No other personal effects were discovered. He had no baggage, no papers, nor letters, and not a cent of money could be found. He had evidently paid the last he had for his room. It is probable that he had used the two envelopes and sheets of paper, and had mailed them, passing out and returning to his room without attracting attention. As to his personal appearance, he was neat, but not showy in his dress. He is about five feet eight inches in height, with dark hair and moustache, and small hands and feet. His body was removed to the undertaking establishment of J. L. Williams, No. 312 Fifth avenue.

Indemnity for Southern Unionists.

Our former townsman, Gen. James A. Ekin, has been appointed by the Government to investigate the claims of Unionists in his District—the Louisville—for damages sustained during the war. Gen. Ekin has, with characteristic energy, commenced the work, and enunciated his policy, to his subagents, as follows: "I fully agree with you that the honor of the nation demands a decision upon them as soon as practicable. It is my earnest desire that all meritorious claims shall be promptly adjusted and paid, and that those which have no merit shall be as promptly considered and rejected. In this sentiment and feeling, I know the Quartermaster General fully shares, and that he has done everything within his power to facilitate the settlement of all claims filed under the act of July, 1864. When I was on duty at his office in Washington, his instructions, both written and verbal, to me gave evidence of his great anxiety to do speedy justice to claimants, and to this policy he has steadily adhered in all subsequent orders. His whole aim has manifestly been to exact justice alike to the Government and to claimants."

The Louisville *Courier-Journal*, in speaking of this matter, says: "During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1874, claims amounting to $1,166,679 were investigated and acted on by General Ekin, and returned to the Quartermaster General. This was done with a force of only four quartermaster agents for the greater portion of the year. There are now eight agents employed on this duty. Four of these are stationed in Kentucky and four in Tennessee, and within a few days two additional ones will be sent to Tennessee. Everything is now being done by the Quartermaster General of the Army and General Ekin to push forward the investigation and adjustment of their long-standing claims, in order that Congress may appropriate, during its next session, such sums as shall, after investigation, be found justly due the claimants."

SECOND EDITION.

FOREIGN.

Carlist Troops Deserting Their Standard.

Nineteen Natives of Navarre Shot for Insubordination.

The Revolution in South America.

SPAIN.

Insurgents Shot for Insubordination.

MADRID, October 10.—Nineteen natives of Navarre, serving in the insurgent army, have been shot for insubordination.

Fatal Explosion.

An explosion in a building at Aspeitia, used for the manufacture of cartridges for the Carlists, instantly killed eighteen persons.

Military Movements.

MADRID, October 10.—Gen. Lorenzo has returned to Logrona, leaving a strong force of national troops near the garrison of Laguardia. The Carlists have withdrawn to Primitives. The Republican General Moriones occupies Tafalla and neighborhood.

Carlists Asking for Amnesty.

Many Carlists are coming into Barcelona and Tarragona, asking for amnesty.

SOUTH AMERICA.

The Revolution in the Argentine Republic.

BUENOS AYRES, October 10.—The revolutionists under Rivas are still encamped near this city. The Government troops occupy Maron. A great movement is expected on the 12th inst., when Avellaneda will assume the Presidency. The insurgent gunboat Parana, being pursued by a Government squadron, put into Montevideo, but was ordered to quit that port immediately.

Before the Battle.

RIO JANEIRO, October 11.—No general engagement has yet taken place between Government troops and insurgents. Gen. Rivas, commander of the main body of insurgents, is waiting for reinforcements before moving on the Capital.

MEXICO.

President Lerdo Seeking a Re-election.

CITY OF MEXICO, October 1.—It is said that President Lerdo desires to be elected for another term. This may have serious consequences. In the first Presidential campaign the pledge was put forward that the President would not seek a re-election, and on this account he was supported by the Diaz party.

The debates in Congress of late have been very excited, and even disorderly, the troubles in the States of Morelos, Yucatan and Oaxaca, and accusations against the Governor of Puebla, Jalisco and San Luis Potosi furnishing themes for bitter contention.

GREAT BRITAIN.

The Schleswig Question.

LONDON, October 10.—The *Times* has advices from Vienna that the idea of referring the Schleswig question to the arbitration of the Queen of England is gaining hold on the diplomatic mind. It is stated that the Danish Government is favorable to such a course, which is thought to offer a feasible method of solution.

Avoiding War.

Roumania and Servia have adopted a peaceful attitude towards Turkey, in consequence of the representations of Bismarck and Andrassy.

Obituary.

The Duke of Leinster died last night.

GERMANY.

Count Von Arnim's Health Impaired.

BERLIN, October 11.—The friends of Count Von Arnim having petitioned for his release on account of ill-health, physicians were appointed by the Government to examine the prisoner's condition. They have made a report recommending a change in the place of confinement, as air and exercise are necessary. The Count will probably be removed to a sanitary establishment in the suburbs of Berlin.

ITALY.

Seizure of Contraband Articles.

FLORENCE, October 10.—Several cases of Socialist proclamations and some Orsini bombs have been seized in the house of an Internationalist here.

FRANCE.

Elections Ordered.

PARIS, October 10.—The elections in the Departments of Drome, Nord and Oise are ordered for November 8th.

AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

John McCullough, the eminent tragedian, will open a week's engagement at this popular house, this evening, on which occasion "Virginius" will be performed, with Mr. McCullough in the title role; Mr. Ellsler as *Dentatus* and Miss Amy Thompson as *Virginia*. In regard to the play itself, the following passages occur in the introduction, which show an appreciative knowledge of the standard tragedy:—"It is now some fifty years since the "Virginius" of Knowles was pronounced by Hazlit the best acting tragedy of the modern stage. During that interval, nothing has been produced to render this critical sentence less just; and, with the exception of "Venice Preserved," we can call to mind no acting tragedy in the English language, out of Shakspeare, that is worthy to be placed by its side. The "Cenci" of Shelley is perhaps superior as a work of genius, as well as in breadth and intensity of tragic power; but as the nature of the story excludes that production from representation before modern audiences, it cannot be called an exception to the verdict we have given in favor of Virginius." The late Edwin Forrest looked upon *Virginius* as his greatest impersonation, and it is generally conceded that it is the favorite in Mr. McCullough's repertory. As an evidence of the great histrionic ability and popularity of Mr. McCullough we need only refer to the fact that for nine successive weeks in New York city crowded houses greeted him every evening. He may be pronounced one of the prodigies of the stage. Landing in Philadelphia, a poor North Irish boy, he became an apprentice to his uncle, a chairmaker. Joining a Thespian association, he attracted attention by his deep, manly voice, and pure, clean-cut, blooming face. Trustworthy, prudent, steady, the bearer no of scandal, averse to gossiping, docile to his superiors and willing to be taught, he advanced from a supernumerary to the support of that unloveable and gloomy tyrant, Edwin Forrest, and was, perhaps, the only actor in whom the old man could find no point for quarrel. He now ranks among the first in the profession, and is a worthy successor to Mr. Forrest.

Fifth Avenue Theatre.

To-night this theatre will resound to the laughable performances of Sam Sanford's Old Time Minstrels. The very name of the troupe is suggestive of fun, and those who attend with the expectation of being amused will not be disappointed. This company consists of men who thoroughly understand their art, and a better place than the Fifth Avenue Theatre could not be selected by whoever wishes to spend a pleasant and enjoyable hour or two.

Dr. Hayes' Lecture.

To-morrow evening Dr. I. I. Hayes will lecture at Library Hall, on "Arctic Adventures and Explorations." The gentleman is a polished and accomplished speaker, and a rich intellectual treat is in store for those who go to hear him.

Mrs. D. P. Bowers.

One week from to-night Mrs. D. P. Bowers, the great tragic actress, appears at the Opera House. She will be supported in her representations by Mr. J. C. McCollom. Both are great favorites in Pittsburgh.

Library Hall.

On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of the coming week, Madame Janauschek will crowd Library Hall. We say crowd because during the short time she will be here, the thousands of Pittsburghers who admire her finished and impressive acting and unequalled emotional power, will take advantage of the opportunity to see and hear her. She has no superior upon the American stage. In the character of *Mary Stuart*, which she essays on Monday night, in Schiller's historial play of the same name, she is particularly brilliant, and it has never been performed by her in any city of the Union where she failed to evoke from the press the most lavish and unanimous praise. The scene in Fotheringay park, where she meets the haughty Elizabeth and heaps upon her head all the withering invective of a bitter tongue, is grand and powerful beyond expression, and Janauschek pictures it as only Janausheck knows how. On Tuesday evening "Temptation" will be given and "Deborah," (Leah, the Forsaken) on Wednesday night. Madame Janauschek will be supported by her own company.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

"Brownsville avenue" will be completed this week.

····Pittsburgh Councils will hold another weekly meeting this afternoon.

····A number of yard-men at the East Liberty stock yards were fined ten dollars and costs each, last Saturday, by Deputy Mayor Irwin, for cruelty to animals.

····A man by the name of Connor was thrown from a buggy while driving along Eigtheenth street, South Side, last Saturday, from which he received severe injuries.

····The Smoky city base ball club of Allegheny was beaten on Friday in a match game at New Castle, by the Neshannocks of the latter place. The score stood thirty-two to eight.

····A meeting under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. was held at the smith-shop of the P. Ft. W. & C. R. R. Co., outer depot, yesterday afternoon, which was addressed by railroad men from Cleveland and Erie.

····The joint meeting of the Street and Survey Committees, of Allegheny Councils, will be held this evening for the purpose of taking some action on the three plans for the improvement of the Butcher's Run District.

····There will be a temperance meeting held in the Christian Chapel, Hazlewood, to-morrow evening, to be addressed by J. Whitesell, Esq., Mr. Hethrington and Mr. George Finley. A large attendance is requested.

····Yesterday afternoon a little boy named Kintner was run over on Penn avenue, East Liberty, by a couple of men who were testing the speed of their animals. The lad who is only six years of age, was badly hurt about the head.

····The argument on the motion to dissolve the injunction obtained by the Pennsylvania Railroad against Arnold Hertz and the Columbia Conduit Company was heard in the Common Pleas Court last Saturday. Decision reserved.

····Thomas Potts, convicted of murder in the second degree some time ago in the Criminal Court, was brought in for sentence last Saturday, but owing to the absence of one of the judges he was again remanded to jail until next sentence day.

····Officer Reed, of the city police force, was charged by officer Husted, on Saturday, with cowardice during a fight last Thursday evening in an alley near Seventh street. He had a hearing before the Acting Mayor but no disposition has been made of the case yet.

····Yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, a boy jumped off a freight train which was crossing Washington avenue, Allegheny, and as the train was moving pretty rapidly he was thrown violently to the ground and one of his legs fractured in two places.

····A woman by the name of Earn Steinmeyer, residing on Larkins alley, between Nineteenth and Twentieth streets, South Side, died of heart disease, on Saturday morning. An inquest was held by the Coroner when the jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the facts. Deceased leaves a husband and two children.

····The Board of Pardons have recommended the following Allegheny county criminals for executive clemency: William Oglive, adultery; James M. Mackey and Edward Maley, disorderly houses, and Amos Maitland, assault and battery with intent to rob. The case of Ambrose Lynch has not yet been disposed of.

····The new school house connected with the First German Lutheran church of Allegheny was dedicated yesterday afternoon with appropriate ceremonies. The edifice, which is located on Madison avenue, at the corner of Avery street, is two stories high, eighty-two feet long by forty feet wide, contains four rooms, and cost $13,000.

····Michael [illegible] was arrested yesterday in East Liberty by Officer Emil Berger, while in the act of rifling a man's pocket. He had a hearing, last evening, before Deputy Mayor Irwin, and was fined one hundred dollars and costs, but being unable to pay it, he was sent six months to the Work House. That was Michael's sixth offense.

····The Prospect Building and Loan Association has been recently organized on Mt. Washington with the following officers: Herman Schleider, President; Thomas Glaze, Vice President; Jacob Loffel, Secretary; Jacob Wilbert, August Ulaich, Wm. Hughes, Louis Hauch, John S. John, Gotlieb Lehman, Lawrence Deckenbach, Albert Diehl, Directors.

····Johnny Stroup won the gold headed whip at Barnum's Hippodrome on Saturday night. The races between Stroup and Quantrell on Friday and Saturday afternoons were declared dead heats, and the one on Saturday night was run on its merits, Stroup winning. The whip was presented by Mr. Nixon, superintendent of the Hippodrome performances.

····The Pittsburgh *Herald* published on the South Side, will give a fresh evidence of its prosperity by coming out in a new form and considerably improved otherwise this week. The form will be the quarto, six columns to the page. Under the editorial management of Mr. Wm. R. Newmyer. The *Herald* has been a neway, spicy sheet, and is correspondingly popular.

····The October meeting of the United and Reformed Presbyterian Sunday-school Teachers' Union will be held in the Third United Presbyterian Church, on Diamond street (Rev. S. R. Frazier, pastor), this evening, at 7:30 o'clock. A class will be taught by Miss Hastings, of the Sixth-avenue United Presbyterian Mission Sunday-school, on the lesson for Sunday, October 18, viz: "The mind of Christ."

····Gus. Braun, in order to save the city the $30 or $40 expended monthly in purchasing meals for prisoners, is considering the propriety of having a cooking stove bought and placed in the "ladies" department of the Central Station house. Beans and bread he thinks is wholesome and substantial enough for prisoners, and the Turnkey is to be initiated in the art of boiling beans, the bread to be bought.

····In the Common Pleas Court on Saturday a petition from the board of directors of Chartiers township was presented, setting forth that it had contracted for a certain parcel of ground, the property of James H. Bell of said township, on which to erect a school house, and that after having it surveyed and marked off, trouble arose between the board and the owner of the property, who refused to allow them to have the ground. The court appointed Geo. R. Gamble, William H. Barker and Hugh Lea to assess and decide upon damages.

····The following comprehensive challenge we clip from a Boston paper. Charles H. Mealey, of Halifax, has issued a challenge to row any man in America, excluding George Brown and Morris, a three or five mile race for $1,000 in gold, allowing $150 for expenses, to row at St. John, Springfield, or on Charles river, Boston, inside of twenty days or in May or June next. Mealey is well known in the provinces as a skillful and powerful oarsman, and has defeated George Brown twice. He is also known among Boston men, having won three prizes on Charles river.

PERSONAL.

***The friends and parishioners of Rev. G. W. Jackson, of the Baptist Zion Church, testified their confidence in, and esteem for that gentleman by a "donation visit" to his residence which left him considerably richer in provisions, dry goods and greenbacks.

***Among the arrivals at the St. Clair Hotel Saturday and yesterday were, Chas. H. Stowe and Daniel H. Evans, Etna; John McElvy, New Castle; Joseph Shauer, Brighton; S. J. Wells, New Brighton; A. F. McCaskey, Freedom; Harry Johnston and James McShane, Wellsville O.; J. Asire, McKeesport, and B. Forst, Millerstown.

***J. Arvson, J. W. Brenner, J. W. Collins, Wm. N. Milstred, C. L. Davis, P. Bishop, Jr., Philadelphia; George Rist, Broadford; M. G. Gibson, wife and daughter, Coal Bluff; S. M. Bonns, California; S. E. Kennedy and family, Erie; Robert Myckey, Geo. W. Fareis, Youngstown, O.; J. S. Anderson, Burgettstown; J. W. Scott, Franklin; Miss Ketchem, Monongahela City; Geo. H. Bemus, Meadville, and Philip White and lady were among the signatures at the Central Hotel Saturday and yesterday.

***Mr. Sidney Strong, formerly of the firm of Kennedy, Childs & Co. in this city, but for the past eight years Treasurer of the Florence Sewing Machine Co., we learn, from the *Northampton Journal*, has withdrawn from that office. His friends in this city will be gratified, but not surprised, that the company in parting with Mr. Strong adopted unanimously resolutions highly complimentary to him for the integrity and ability with which the very arduous duties of his office had been discharged.

***Among the guests registered at the Union Depot Hotel yesterday were the following: A. Crawford, New Castle; W. H. Peeples, George W. Stewart, J. K. Colwell, Chas. Singleton, J. C. Ramsey, Thomas J. Sheridan, J. R. Davidson, Philadelphia; Chas. Sleese and Edward Sleese, Massillon, O.; A. D. Doyle, Steubenville, O.; Miss Jessie C. Porter, J. E. Porter, Brownsville; J. A. Barnard, E. L. Fleming, Emlenton; C. Sweeney, Brookville; John George, Jr., Irwin Station; S. Gunk, Tyrone, and Thos. Cosgrove, Braddocks.

Pittsburgh Teachers' Institute.

The twenty-first stated meeting of the Pittsburgh Teachers' Institute, commences on next Friday evening, at the Lawrence school hall, on Thirty-seventh street, and concludes on Saturday morning. At the evening session a lecture will be delivered on "American Education," and Robert M. Gibson, Esq., will also lecture on a topic not yet announced. Select reading by Miss Rose A. McCleary. The programme for Saturday morning is as follows: Essay, "Compulsory Education," by Miss A. Reno. Lecture, "Weight," by C. K. Wade. Essay, "Development of the Mind," by Miss L. Anderson. Messrs. Jas. L. Harrison and Wm. R. Ford will discuss the question, "Is a State Uniformity of Text Books Desirable," the former affirm and the latter deny. There will also be music by way of variety.

ANOTHER OIL FIRE.

Destruction of Petroleum and Property.

About half past three o'clock on Saturday morning last a fire broke out in the tar and parafine manufactory of Chas. T. Place, situated on Herr's Island, in the Allegheny river, nearly opposite Thirty-third street. The establishment was entirely destroyed together with a large stock of parafine, benzine, &c. The fire, before it was subdued, communicated to a large oil tank, which contained ten thousand barrels of crude petroleum, and which belonged to Messrs. J. C. Kirkpatrick, J. H. Walter, Logan Bros., Peter Hutchinson, Stockdale and others. The oil burned all day Saturday and sent up immense volumes of thick, black smoke. In addition to tank and manufactory a number of ice and tenement houses adjoining were also consumed. The efforts of the Allegheny Fire Department, seconded by the assistance of Acting Chief Hammil, of this city, were of little avail in staying the flames. The loss on the building and machinery of the parafine works is about $10,000, and the stock which was valued at from $15,000 to $18,000 is a total loss. The capacity of the oil tank was 11,000 barrels, and it contained from 8,000 to 10,000 barrels, worth from $11,000 to $14,000. On this there was $5,000 insurance, $2,500 in the Armenia and $2,500 in the Commercial Union, both Pittsburgh companies. The fire is said to have been caused by the carelessness of one of the employes who was carrying a lamp in the benzine room when the vapor caught fire from the flames.

There were several narrow escapes from serious injury made by the Allegheny firemen and others at the oil fire at Herr's Island on Saturday afternoon. At the time the large iron tank broke a number of firemen were working on the bank just below the tank, and when the burning oil spread so rapidly that they had to run for their lives. One of them, Frank Murphy, engineer of the Friendship engine, saved the life of a little boy who was standing near them at the time, whom he picked up and carried away at the risk of his own life, and he made a very narrow escape. He deserves credit for the manner in which he acted.

The department was in service just eighteen hours, from half past three o'clock in the morning until after nine at night and did excellently. They had a dinner furnished them through the kindness of Mr. Hugh McNeill, whose extensive board yard was saved by their exertions, and the most of the men had but that meal during the entire day. Would it not be a sensible idea for Councils to make some provision to furnish the firemen with something to eat when they are required to be at work so many hours and cannot get time to go to their homes for their meals, and not leave it to the kindness of the citizens, who may reside near where they are working, many of whom sometimes can ill afford to do it? A warm cup of coffee with a few sandwiches could be taken to each of them, as was done to the militia while guarding the flooded district in Allegheny, and would cost but little, and would add to the efficiency of the men in strengthening them and put them in better spirits for their often cold and exhausting labors. We suggest the idea and hope Councils will give it due consideration.

A DAY OF PRAYER.

An "All-day" Temperance Prayer Meeting—The Programme as Arranged for To-morrow.

For some time past the crusaders on the North Side have been making preparations for an "all-day" temperance prayer meeting, and in pursuance of this arrangement, to-morrow (Tuesday) has been set apart for the purpose. The meeting will be held in Crusade Hall, North avenue, Allegheny. It is proposed to commence at nine o'clock and continue until five in the evening, with an intermission only, for dinner. Opening at nine o'clock the subject of prayer will be for "The Presence and Blessing of the Holy Spirit." At ten o'clock the subject will be changed to "Prayer for grace in relation to Temperance"—grace ever to act upon the Bible Rule laid down by the Apostle in the memorable words: "If meat make my brother to offend, I will eat no meat while the world standeth, lest I make my brother to offend." At eleven o'clock there will be a new subject, "Prayer for Divine blessings upon all efforts to secure the suppression of intemperance by law."

From twelve to two o'clock there will be an intermission, and upon reassembling at two o'clock the first subject will be "The necessity of, and prayer for, unswerving faith in God for success in suppressing intemperance." At three o'clock "The necessity of, and prayer for, harmonious and united effort in furthering the cause of temperance." At four o'clock "The necessity of deeply impressing the young with a sense of the enormous evils of intemperance and of training them from their earliest years to habits of entire abstinence from all that intoxicates."

This programme will be in charge of the following ministers as specified: From 9 to 9½ o'clock A. M., Rev. E. B. Snyder; 9½ to 10 A. M., Rev. Wm. Robinson, First U. P. Church; 10 to 10½ A. M., Rev. B. F. Woodburn; 10½ to 11 A. M., Rev. I. N. Baird; 11 to 11½ A. M., Rev. Mr. Goettman; 11½ to 12 A. M., Rev. Joseph King; 2 to 2½ P. M., Rev. J. W. Witherspoon; 2½ to 3 P. M., Rev. D. B. Wilson; 3 to 3½ P. M., Rev. W. A. Davidson; 3½ to 4 P. M., Rev. W. H. McMillen; 4 to 4½ P. M., Rev. Wm. Moore; 4½ to 5 P. M., Rev. A. A. Hodge.

The day will then be closed by a grand mass conference meeting in the evening.

The ladies and gentlemen having the matter in charge have been indefatigable in making these arrangements, and a day of much pleasure and profit is confidently anticipated.

ADDITIONAL RIVER NEWS.

CINCINNATI, October 11.—River six feet eight inches and falling. Arrived—Cherokee, New Orleans.

CAIRO, October 11.—Arrived—City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg, 11 P. M.; B. H. Cooke, Evansville, 6 A. M.; Bon Accord, St. Louis, 4 P. M.; St. Genevieve, St. Louis. Departed—Belle of Memphis, Memphis, 10 P. M.; Vicksburg, St. Louis, midnight; Cooke, Evansville, 9 A. M.; Bon Accord, Tennessee river, 5 P. M. The Mary Alice, for St. Louis, broke her rudder last night, and returned here for repairs. River 6 feet 1 inch. Clear and cool.

LOUISVILLE, October 11.—River rising; 4 feet 10 inches in canal; 2 feet 10 inches in Indiana chute. Arrived—Esperanza and Arlington, Cincinnati. Departed—Arlington, Memphis; Esperanza, New Orleans; Vint Shinkle, Cincinnati. Clear and cool.

ST. LOUIS, October 11.—Arrived—Chester, Memphis; City of Vicksburg, Vicksburg; Clinton, Keokuk. Departed—Bismarck, New Orleans; Baker, Louisville. River falling. Clear and cool.

EVANSVILLE, October 11.—Clear and cold; mercury 52 to 64. River four feet by the gauge and rising. Down—Burksville, 8 P. M.; Eddyville, 1 P. M. Up—Mary Miller, 8 A. M. Nothing doing.

WANTED.

WANTED—MORTGAGES ON GOOD City Property. Money to loan in sums from $1,000 to $6,000. Inquire of D. SWOGER, Real Estate Agent, 66 Federal street, Allegheny.

WANTED.

A gentleman to take charge of the Boarding Department of a female College. One whose wife can act as housekeeper preferred.

The best of references required.

Address

LOCK BOX 262,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

TO-LET.

TO-LET.—A TWO STORY BRICK Dwelling House in a central location, No. 172 Second avenue, Pittsburgh. Possession given immediately. For terms of rent apply to A. D. SMITH, at Iron City National Bank, or at his residence, No. 17 Park street, Allegheny City.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—CURIOSITY—A SHEEP WITH TWO LEGS—never had any hind legs. Can be bought by any parties wanting a curiosity. It is five months old—healthy and sound. For further information inquire at 52 SOUTH DIAMOND STREET, ALLEGHENY CITY, PA.
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FOR SALE—A GOOD HORSE, 9 YEARS old, from the country. Weighs 1,200 lbs. Is kind, gentle and will work either single or double. Inquire of VERNON BROS., 118 Smithfield street, second floor.
oc9:h62

FOR SALE—A FINE FAMILY DRIVING and Riding PONY, together with Phaeton and Harness, all in first-class order. Can be seen at SPENCER & WILLISON'S, Nos. 27 and 28 Cedar avenue, Allegheny City.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND ENGINES from 5 to 80 horse power, 30 Double Flued Boilers, one pair 20 feet by 38 inches, nearly new.
JAMES HILL & CO.,
Cor. Marion avenue and P., Ft. W. & C. R. R.,
Allegheny City.

FOR SALE—CHEAP.—FARM OF about 90 acres, 14 acres in Timber, balance under cultivation, well watered, and all underlaid with Coal; also, abundance of Limestone. Situate about 1½ miles from Bulger Station, on Panhandle Railroad. Well improved, with a House of 6 rooms, Bank Barn 40x80 feet, good young Orchard, Shop, Sheep House, Granary, Brick Spring House, with splendid Spring. For price and terms apply to D. SWOGER, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, No. 66 Federal street.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE FOR

CITY PROPERTY.

A tract of land on Sewickley Creek, about 4 miles from Fair Oaks station and 5 miles from Leetsdale, on P., Ft. W. & C. R. R., and about 16 miles from Allegheny City, of 160 acres, subdivided as follows: 61 acres with improvements, house, barn, orchard, and 49 acres partly under cultivation, 20 acres under cultivation and 2 pieces of 15 acres each. Will be sold or exchanged as subdivided or as a whole. Inquire of D. SWOGER, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, 66 Federal street, Allegheny City.
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MEETINGS.

☞ NOTICE.—THE STOCKHOLDERS of the NORTH STAR BUILDING ASSOCIATION are hereby notified, that at the next meeting of said Association to be held on

Tuesday Evening Next, October 13th,

A vote will be taken upon a proposed amendment of Article 7th of the By-Laws, viz., to strike out all after the word "corporation," and insert "Five cents per share for the first default, and five cents additional per share on each regular meeting night so long as the default continues."

SAMUEL TATE,
Secretary.
oc12-h71

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Great Attractions!

MOORHOUSE & CARSTEN,

Have now open the best assortment of

Plain and Fancy Dress Goods

In the city, at the lowest market prices.

They also offer a beautiful line of pure CASHMERE SUBLIME

Black Silks!

Which can be relied on as greatly below value.

PLAIN SILKS,

Adapted for Fall use. $1.50 to $2 per yard.

A Large Assortment of

SERGES, DIAGONALS,

FIFTY PIECES FRENCH MERINOS,

New Shades, 75 cents.

A large assortment of Black Cashmeres, Merinos, Mohairs, Alpacas, Biarritz, Henrietta Cloths, Shawls, Cloaks, &c., at very low prices.

Samples sent on application.

Cor. Fourth Ave. and Market Street.

OFFICE OF COMPTROLLER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, Oct. 12, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until 3 P. M., THURSDAY, October 15th, 1874, for the Grading, Paving and Curbing of

Charles Street,

From Taggart street to Perrysville Plank Road. Plans and specifications can be seen and full information obtained at the office of the City Engineer.

The Committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

JAMES BROWN,
Comptroller.
oc12-h47

BANKS, RAILROADS,

Business Houses,

And Manufacturing Establishments can be furnished with Ledgers, Journals, Day Books, Dray Books, Receipt and Check Books and every article of Stationery, at the lowest cash prices, at the Stationery Ware-house of

STEVENSON & FOSTER,

[illegible] and Third Avenue.

oc10:h64

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the CASTLE SHANNON METHODIST CAMP MEETING ASSOCIATION intend on November 7th, 1874, to apply to the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny county for a charter. The place of business to be at Castle Shannon. The purpose, the promotion of Christianity. Capital stock, six thousand dollars. Number of shares sixty, of one hundred dollars each.

T. F. SCOTT.

October 10, 1874. oc12:h72-M

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE U. S. FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PA.—IN BANKRUPTCY. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of WILLIAM E. DEWEES of the city of Philadelphia and State of Pennsylvania within said District, who has been adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, filed March 26th, 1874.

EDWARD LAW, Assignee,
No. 621 Walnut street,
Philadelphia.
oc12:h74-M

PAPER FLOUR SACK

AND BROOM FACTORY.

Brushes, Broom Material, Wrapping Paper, Twine and Wooden Ware, by

ABDIEL McCLURE & CO.,

362 PENN STREET.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE public not to harbor or trust my wife, MARY A. GILES, or children, as I will not pay any debts contracted by them, and I will collect the wages of Martha and Harry Giles.

oc9-h60 JAMES GILES.

POLITICAL.

HEADQUARTERS ALLEGHENY REPUBLICAN EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE,
LINCOLN CLUB ROOMS,
PITTSBURGH, October 12, 1874.

☞ A REGULAR MEETING OF THE Allegheny County Republican Executive Committee will be held

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 13th,

AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.

A full attendance is desired.

S. P. FULTON, Chairman.
Norman M. Smith, J. K. McGunnigle,
P. F. Smith, J. Henry Miller,
H. H. Byram, Geo. W. Reed,
Secretaries.
oc12-h83

☞ REPUBLICANS, ATTENTION!

☞ IT IS DESIRED TO APPOINT ELECTION

District Vigilance Committees

Throughout the County, and to this end it is earnestly requested that

Names of Active Republicans

In every district be AT ONCE sent to WILLIAM H. DENNISTON, Chairman of the Vigilance Committee of the County Executive Committee, Lincoln Club Rooms, Pittsburgh.

Prompt response is necessary.

The division of the wards of Pittsburgh into Districts is made by the commission appointed by the Court having been approved, names of Republicans are desired from each of the 104 sub-districts.

Persons responding to this notice will please be careful to give the district for which the names are suggested.

WILLIAM H. DENNISTON,
Chairman Vigilance Committee.
JAMES S. WOODWELL, Secretary.
oc8-h58-d3

☞ REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING.

A GRAND

Republican Mass Meeting,

WILL BE HELD IN THE

DIAMOND SQUARE, ALLEGHENY,

Monday Evening, October 12,

AT 7½ O'CLOCK.

Addresses will be delivered by

Hon. R. B. CARNAHAN,
GEORGE W. DeCAMP, Esq.,
Gen. A. L. PEARSON,
Col. THOMAS M. BAYNE.

And other prominent and eloquent speakers.

A Brass Band will be in attendance.

All Republicans are invited to attend and hear the issues of the day discussed.

☞ REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Third Legislative District.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the County Republican Executive Committee, on the 6th inst., the delegates elected to

Legislative Convention No. 3,

Composed of the Fifth, Ninth, Tenth and Twelfth wards of the City of Pittsburgh, are hereby called to assemble at the

LINCOLN CLUB ROOMS,

On Tuesday, October 13th, at 4 P. M.,

For the purpose of nominating one candidate for Assembly. The following are the names of the delegates:

Fifth ward—J. M. Fass.
Ninth ward—James Taylor.
Tenth ward—Henry Cooke.
Twelfth ward, first precinct—George F. Larimer.
Twelfth ward, second precinct—Col. Bartley.

By order of the County Executive Committee,

S. P. FULTON, Chairman.
Norman M. Smith, J. Henry Miller,
J. K. McGunnigle, H. H. Byram,
P. F. Smith, Geo. W. Reed,
Secretaries.
oc12-h82

DIVIDEND.

CITY DEPOSIT BANK AND TRUST CO.,
East End,
PITTSBURGH, October 1, 1874.

☞ DIVIDEND.—THE DIRECTORS of this Bank have to-day declared a Dividend of FOUR (4) PER CENT., payable to stockholders forthwith.

B. M. EVERSON,
Cashier.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,
PITTSBURGH, October 3, 1874.

☞ QUARTERLY DIVIDEND.—THE Directors of this Bank have this day declared a Quarterly Dividend of THREE PER CENT. on the capital stock out of the profits of the past three months, payable forthwith, free of tax.

J. D. SCULLY,
Cashier.
oc5:h45

FRANKLIN SAVINGS BANK,
ALLEGHENY, PA., October 2, 1874.

☞ DIVIDEND No. 19.—THE DIRECTORS of this Bank have to-day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 10th inst.

JAMES H. RIDDLE,
Cashier.
oc3:h56

FARMERS' DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, October 1, 1874.

☞ QUARTERLY DIVIDEND 4 PER CENT.—The Directors of this Bank have this day declared a dividend of FOUR PER CENT. out of the profits of the last three months, payable on demand, free of tax.

S. GEORGE, Jr., Cashier.

ELECTIONS.

☞ ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. [illegible] Walnut street, Philadelphia, on Friday, October 23, 1874, at 12 M. o'clock, for the election of Directors, Secretary and Treasurer for the ensuing year, and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors.

SAMUEL SIMES, Secretary.
oc8:h57-8,10,12,14,17,19,21

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Wholesale House.

JOSEPH HORNE & CO.,

INVITE SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THEIR LINES OF

Shirts and Drawers,
Hosiery, Gloves,
Felt Skirts,
Woolen Goods,
Barred Country Flannels,
Plain and Twilled Flannels,
Repellants, Cassimeres, Jeans,
Colored and Black Alpacas,
Cashmeres, Merinos,
Tycoon Reps,
Diagonal and Plain Dress Goods,
Velvets, Velveteens,

Black Dress Silks and Domestic Goods at the new low rates.
Velvet Ribbons, Bead Gimps, Fringes, Ball Trimming.
Latest styles Millinery Goods in stock and arriving daily.
Staple Notions.
Midnight's, Fullerton's and Country Yarns,
Bergman Zephyrs.
Extensive lines of everything in the above departments at Bottom Prices.
WHOLESALE ONLY.

Nos. 77 AND 79 MARKET STREET.

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DEALERS IN

Hats, Caps, Furs & Ladies' Trimmed Hats.

Our stock is the largest in the city, comprising every style and grade. WHOLESALE and RETAIL buyers will find no better or cheaper goods in the market. PLEASE CALL AND EXAMINE.

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ELEGANT STYLES IN SOFT GOODS.

M'CORD & CO., No. 131 WOOD ST., PITTSBURGH.

NEW FALL CARPETS

AN IMMENSE STOCK,

At Lower Prices.

HENRY MCALLUM,

51 FIFTH AVENUE, above Wood Street.

NEW CARPETS.

We are now opening the first receipts of our

New Fall Stock of Carpets, &c.,

And invite a call from those having the needs of the season in our line.

THE LATEST NOVELTIES.
LARGEST STOCK.
LOWEST PRICES.

OLIVER M'CLINTOCK, & CO., 23 FIFTH AVE.

GRAND CLEARANCE SALE

OF

BOOTS AND SHOES,

For 10 Days Only.

OUR ENTIRE STOCK MARKED DOWN TWENTY PER CENT.

W. C. DUNCAN,

NO. 98 MARKET STREET.

WHOLESALE HEADQUARTERS.

Arbuthnot, Shannon & Co.,

HAVE JUST OPENED AN

IMMENSE STOCK OF DRY GOODS AND NOTIONS,

Suitable for Fall and Winter trade, comprising full lines of all the leading brands Brown and Bleached Cottons, Prints, Ginghams, Checks, Ticks, Cheviot Shirtings, Canton Flannels, Wool Flannels, plain and twilled, Jeans, Cottonades, Cassimeres, Tweeds, Waterproofs, Velveteens, Table Linens, Shawls, Skirts, Ladies' and Gents' Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves and Small Goods. Special attention called to our Dress Goods Department in which will be found all the latest novelties of Foreign and Domestic manufacture.

Sole Agents for Fullerton, Greenville, New Lisbon and Allegheny Woolen Mills.

BOTTOM PRICES GUARANTEED.

239 AND 241 LIBERTY STREET.

Liberty Street

CHINAHOUSE

OFFER THEIR

Entire Stock

DURING OCTOBER AT

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To make room for Fall Importations.

100 China Dinner Sets, $35,00 each.
50 Band China Tea Sets, 56 pieces, $12 each.

100 Decorated Chamber Sets,

AT

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ALSO

STONE CHINA DINNER WARE,
PARIAN STATUETTES,
FINE GLASS VASES,
TOILET SETS,

AT GREAT BARGAINS.

Geo. H. Garber & Co.,

189 LIBERTY ST.

J. H. MORRISON,

Manufacturer of all kinds of

Sawed Lumber

BOXES,

Floorings, Ceilings,

LATHS, NAIL KEGS, &C.

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THE complimentary terms in which our contemporaries, the *Commercial, Evening Telegraph, Freiheit's Freund*, and papers outside the city, editorially allude to the handsome appearance of the GAZETTE in its new dress of type, is duly appreciated.

THE Argentine insurrection is so far successful that Avellaneda, the candidate declared to have been regularly elected, proposes to resign, and permit his rival, General Mitre, to succeed to the office. This looks very much as though justice has been on the side of the insurgents.

WE warn Republicans that Democrats are making strenuous efforts to secure complimentary votes for their Legislative candidates, in the hope of securing enough to elect them. If they succeed, a Democratic United States Senator will be the result. How will it suit Republicans to see Buckalew in the United States Senate?

THE Conservatives of South Carolina have joined hands with the bolting Republicans, or Moses crowd. A few short months since Moses was a criminal of the deepest dye, according to Democratic papers; now, by the same authority, he is the Apostle of Reform. Verily, the Democracy is the chameleon of politics.

IT seems that a practical movement is being made to see that thoroughly honest and competent federal officers shall be selected for the Southern States. But at the same time information comes that the rebel feeling is rapidly growing. This being the case, while honesty is sought, right political views should also be looked after.

SENATOR THURMAN, in a recent address before the Maryland Agricultural and Mechanical Association, took occasion to rectify the idea that the wealth of the country is concentrating in the hands of the few. He offered statistics in proof of the idea that small farms are increasing in number, —a fact which indicates the increase of owners.

THE International Workingmen's Association is threatened with disruption. Persons who have receded from it, organized another Society at Geneva, Switzerland, differing from it, in that it avoids politics, and comprehends the wants of the workingmen. It is charged that the International is officered by men who never were workmen, and do not know the wants of those for whom they pretend to legislate.

THE lamb-like spirit of the Democracy has just been illustrated in Virginia. Nine precinct judges of election were arrested by the United States Marshals for violating the act of Congress,—when forthwith a report was put in circulation that no Democrats would be allowed on the jury, and the Judge holding the Court was threatened. He answered that no partisanship would be allowed in the jury, but that White Leaguers were as obnoxious as others. He proposed to ignore politics on one side as well as another. Of course, the real trouble was, the fear that the judges would be convicted, and it was thought a loud howl would frighten off the Republicans and enable them to pack the jury with Democrats. The game didn't work.

REFERRING to the Franklin Institute Fair in Philadelphia, the *North American* says there is evidence of the increasing approach to entire independence shown by the exhibit of American products. "For instance, in the matter of sewing silk and machine silks we know that until within a few years we were entirely dependent upon other countries; yet to-day this industry has become so thoroughly domesticated that in this exhibition will be found silks manufactured in Philadelphia which will compete with similar lines of goods the world over." Could our Pittsburgh manufacturers be induced to establish a fair, how very forcibly this point would be presented. A yearly fair or exposition would be a more influential argument for protection than was ever penned by mortal hand, or printed anywhere.

WE do not need to supplement the statement of facts that appears in our local columns, with anything additional to show the Select Council the importance of passing the Oil Refiners' ordinance for a pipe line across the city. We are well aware of the fact that each of us is so engrossed in our individual affairs, that we expect those specially interested in any legislation to point out the necessity for it. This the refiners have done, in such convincing terms, that Common Council nearly unanimously passed the ordinance. The facts showed that the pipe line asked for will enable our refiners to compete against Cleveland, and will serve to build up a very important trade, from which our city will derive great benefit. These are the facts, and it is thus quite as much to the interest of the city that the pipe line should be constructed, as of any others. No doubt the ordinance will pass.

IT BEGINS to leak out that even in the South are State Constitutions which provide not merely for the equal education of white and black children,—but for mixed schools as well. Such is the case in Louisiana. Mr. Conway, recently Superintendent of Education in Louisiana, reports that he enforced the law, and after a few days opposition died out, and all worked well. He also gives a series of resolutions reported at a unification meeting in New Orleans, in July, 1873, at which five Democrats and five Republicans reported resolutions. General Bureaugard was one of the number. One resolution embraced the following section: "We shall further recommend that hereafter no distinction shall exist among citizens of Louisiana in any of our public schools or State institutions of education, or in any other public institution supported by the State, city, or parishes." Is not the hostility to the Civil Rights bill a very transparent fraud?

JUDGE BRADLEY discriminates, very properly, between murders that are committed for political purposes and those that are denominated common murders. The case on which this decision turned is that of the Grant parish murders in Louisiana. He claims that Congress has not power, under the Constitution, to enact laws for the special trial and punishment of offenders who do not commit crimes for political reasons; that such criminals are amenable to State laws. While we readily see that it opens a door for subterfuge and possibly escape, among those in the South who, while really acting from political motives, will seek to disguise their purpose, that they may be tried by home courts that will never acquit, yet right is right; and it would be a dangerous precedent to establish that the Federal Government has a right to enter a State and punish a common murderer. But where offenses have a political [illegible] the case is changed, and the [illegible] that the Federal Gov-

IS ITS MISSION ENDED?

One of the most persistent pleas urged against the Republican party, of late years, is the one that its mission is ended. Singularly, there are Republicans whose breadth of view is not as great as it should be, who fall in with this idea, and give it tacit consent. The theory is, that the party was organized to destroy slavery, and that when this was done, there was no further distinctive reason why it should be kept together! Even at its orgin, the Republican party had a broader purpose than this,—that of maintaining political equality, and right government, of making permanent what it accomplished. To have simply destroyed slavery, and handed the government of the country back to the Democracy, would have resulted in its restoration, and have been an act of political stupidity. To close its career, by simply abandoning the field, would be mere absurdity. And if the Republican party has completed its mission, what of the Democracy? Is its mission ended? If not, what is that mission? It acts the part of an obstructionist, seeks to perpetuate the reign of violence, has never repented its misdeeds during the war, and at the South, keeps up a career of violence and murder. Is this its mission? If so, do we not need another party, strong enough to repress its evil tendencies, and to give peace and order to the country?

But it is not true that the mission of the Republican party is ended. Equality before the law, which is a necessary concomitant of liberty, is not yet thoroughly established, nor are the results of the suppression of the rebellion fully gathered. A generation must pass before the planter and slave-owning class at the South realize that they can never expect to have control over their former slaves again, except in so far as one man may influence in a friendly way another. Yet the *animus* of all the late uprisings has been in the direction of affirming the superiority of the planter class, as against Republican whites and negroes. Their declarations in Louisiana were equivocal to the statement that they would care for and permit the blacks to vote, provided they voted for their candidates. A White-man's Government is at the foundation of their hopes and wishes, and for this they struggle. And this means slavery without the name; bondage with none of its benefits; oppression, without any relieving feature.

Furthermore, the spirit of the Democracy at the South is that of rebellion; and between the party North and South there is an intimate affiliation, and thus that same spirit is generally prevalent. We do not believe for a moment that were the Democracy restored to power, those of the North would dare resist the demands of those of the South for unrestricted control of the negro population, and this control would mean their deprivation of all civil rights. Have not the Democracy of the North fully reciprocated the demands of those of the South so far as denunciation of the Civil Rights bill goes? That bill has no force whatever as applied to the North. We educate the blacks here, giving them equal advantages with the whites. That bill requires nothing that is not already fully conceded at the North. Its bearing is entirely on the South, where it is part of a deliberate plan to hold the negro in ignorance, in order that he may be the more easily held in bondage. The South, in slavery days, enacted it into a crime to teach the negro letters; and they are still struggling against his right to be educated. It is one of the dregs of slavery; yet the Democracy North have been at the pains to formally express their sympathy with it, and to endorse the South in its fight against equal education. Does not all this prove the intimate sympathy of the two in all matters pertaining to slavery?

But the Republican party, considered as a party, has been the exponent of protection to American industry, as against the free trade views of the Democracy. Has this question become obsolete? Or are we prepared to have free trade, by means of which the rate of wages shall be lowered to a par with what is paid in Europe? The reciprocity treaty is proof that the subject is not obsolete, as well as that we are threatened with one of the greatest dangers of recent times. What does that treaty involve? Free trade in all forms of manufactured articles, for twenty-four years. Does any one suppose that England will send those articles direct, when they can be smuggled through Canada? But it involves more than this. The Constitution confers upon the House of Representatives the origination of bills for raising revenue. Here is a treaty that affects the revenue to the extent of at least $160,000,000 yearly, and yet it goes to the Senate only, and if acted upon, will not go to the House for concurrence. The Senate action will be final. It is an insidious blow at one of the dearest privileges of the people. Further, the "favored clause" in our treaties with thirty-five other powers, compels us to give them all the advantages we give to any one. If we give free trade to Canada, we give it of necessity, to all the other nations with which we have treaty relations. Thus universal free trade will follow. And every Democrat elected to Congress this year stands on this platform of free trade. Is there no need of the Republican party to prevent this?

We assure our readers that for many years past there have not been such serious dangers before us as there are at present. We have not, since the days of the war, had an election pending that involved more completely the essential issues on which the Republican party is founded, than that to which we are hastening. We urge upon every Republican to remember that the principles he holds dearest were never more artfully and insidiously assailed. It certainly becomes all to turn aside from private and personal feelings, and sustain the ticket for the sake of the principles involved.

GOVERNMENT FINANCES.

Opposition journals are seeking to make a point by investigating and speculating upon that department of national finances which relates to the income and outgo of funds, and the surplus that may go into the Sinking Fund. True, they have but three months to go upon,—but one-fourth of the current financial year having expired, yet where they lack in statistics they abound in imagination. What is better than a beautiful surmise, where you are deficient in facts? Of course, the comparison between the three months just expired, with the first quarter of 1873, was altogether in favor of the latter and against the former,—as last year it embraced just the period unaffected by the panic,—the three months during which our unsuspecting merchants were receiving their heaviest imports to meet what they supposed would be an unusually active market, while this year it embraces a period during which the panic is keenly felt, so far as imports are concerned,—but no matter. What is the showing? Simply that the receipts of the Government from customs are about $2,000,000 less than during the same months last year, while the reduction of the debt,—where the pinch really comes,—is less by a trifle more than five and a half millions. But every person who gives attention to the subject knows, that as compared with last year, the showing ought to improve as the year advances, for the reason that from this time on, last year, the panic was felt, while this year we are getting farther away from the panic.

We doubt if $30,000,000 can be turned into the Sinking Fund this year, and yet, if Congress is careful in its appropriations and in legislating money out of the Treasury, from $20,000,000 upwards ought to be put aside. The reductions made during the first quarter would indicate about thirteen and a quarter millions as the amount; but as the expenses of Congressional salaries are now spread evenly over the year, there ought to be no large drafts during the remainder of the year that will hinder the more rapid reduction of the debt. Could the average be doubled—and it should be—the required sum will be secured. The benefits of Congressional legislation, looking to the curtailment of Government expenses, were not felt during the first quarter, as time necessarily elapsed before those laws could be put in force. We therefore see no reason for the gloomy surmises indulged. Of course, they are meant to affect the elections, but they will be powerless to that end.

POLITICAL NOTES.

JOHN O. WHITEHOUSE, the very liberal "Liberal" who gave $100,000 to get himself elected to Congress two years ago, has been nominated for Congress by the Democrats of the Poughkeepsie District, N. Y.

MR. TALBOT has won his nomination for Governor of Massachusetts by his steady adherence to principle, and he will win his election by the same means. People trust a man who is not afraid to express his opinions.

THE Albany *Evening Journal* says: "There is a slight difference between the two candidates for Governor in New York. The friends of General Dix point triumphantly to what he *has* done, while the friends of Tilden point timidly to what he *may* do."

THE result of the first day's correction of the registry lists in Philadelphia, by the Court of Common Pleas, was the dropping of 27 fictitious names placed thereon by the Republican assessors, and of 147 fictitious names placed thereon by the Democratic assessors.

CAN the *World* tell us for what offices Thomas Jefferson and Andrew Jackson are running? As they are mentioned by Democratic papers with much more approbation than any Democrats nominated this Fall, they must have a "good thing" in view.—*N. Y. Com. Advertiser.*

HORATIO G. KNIGHT, the Republican candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts, is described as a gentleman of fine appearance, and fifty-seven years of age, whose movements are quick enough for a man ten years his junior. He has served in both branches of the Legislature, and in 1868-69 was a member of the Governor's Council.

THE Nashville *Union and American* cheerfully remarks that the Southern Republican Convention, which is called to meet at Chattanooga on the 13th inst., "Will be the most memorable gathering of graceless scoundrels known to ancient or modern history." And yet the South invite Northern emigrants to come there and live—or die.

ON Tuesday next, the 13th inst., there will be State elections in Ohio, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, and West Virginia, and a Territorial election in Dakota. In three of these States—Indiana, Nebraska and West Virginia—the incoming Legislatures will choose United States Senators in place of Messrs. Pratt, Tipton and Boreman. They are all Republican States, except West Virginia.

THE Rochester *Democrat* prints the following: "Speaking with a full knowledge, obtained from sources the most unquestionable and direct, we assert that President Grant is not only not a candidate for renomination, but that his plans are already matured and his business relations established with a view to his retirement from the Presidency at the expiration of his present term, and that these plans cannot be changed or modified."

NEW ORLEANS has broken out with the "hives," a sort of cutaneous disease on the body politic of Louisiana. The "hives" is the name of a new political organization in the Commune city, with principles akin to those of the White League, with a complete repudiation of the State debt for its leading object. It boasts of some five thousand votes in the city of New Orleans, and is sending missionaries throughout the State. It would appear that the Pelican State had suffered ills enough already, but, with the "hives" added to White Leagues, no schools, and no Northerners, her cup of misery is full to overflowing.

ON the 277th ballot the Republican Congressional Conference in the Blair, Cambria, Somerset and Bedford district, on Thursday evening, nominated Hon. S. S. Blair, of Blair county. The nominee appeared before the Conference, and in a few words accepted the honor tendered him. Mr. Cessna, Mr. Barker, and Mr. Koontz, rivals aspirants for the nomination, also appeared before the Conference, and severally endorsed the nomination of Mr. Blair. The vote of the counties for Mr. Blair, on the final ballot was: Blair, 3; Bedford, 2; Somerset, 3. Mr. Blair was elected to Congress in 1858 and re-elected in 1860.

SECRETARY ROBESON addressed an immense Republican meeting, at Paterson, N. J., on Friday night, and in the course of his speech said neither the administration nor its Chief would ever be found outside of the Republican party, nor acting contrary to the established traditions of the country. The latter remark was understood to refer to the third term business, and was vociferously applauded. After the meeting Secretary Robeson said President Grant had no idea of a third term, and only avoided giving official expression to his opinion on the matter lest he should seem to attach to it too much importance.

PERSONAL.

EUGENIE and the Prince Imperial have returned to Chiselhurst.

SPURGEON says that smoking is not sinful, and that he smokes himself.

MISS EDNA DEAN PROCTOR was formerly a teacher in Miss Dutton's seminary in New Haven.

THE Earl of Dudley has presented the Empress of Austria with a full-blooded English courser.

THE young daughter of Secretary Bristow will be a *debutante* in Washington society this Winter.

THE will of M. Guizot is published. It commences with the declaration of his devotion to the Reform Church of France.

MR. JACOB THOMPSON, of Tennessee, formerly United States Secretary of the Interior, and afterward a brigadier in the Confederate army, is in New York.

MRS. ELLEN QUINLIN, aged one hundred and two years, died at Woodstock, Illinois, on Friday last. One hundred and thirty carriages followed her remains to the grave.

EX-GOVERNOR HOFFMAN seems to have derived benefit from his tour, as he is much stouter than when he left, and looks ruddier and healthier than he has for several years.

MRS. HETTY PORTER, widow of the late Rev. Dr. Noah Porter, of Farmington, and mother of President Porter, of Yale College, died in Farmington, Conn., Wednesday, aged eighty-eight years.

THE REV. ARTHUR BROOKS, of St. James' church, Chicago, has been elected rector of St. Paul's, Cleveland, Ohio, to succeed his brother, the late Rev. Frederick Brooks, whose accidental death occurred in Boston a few weeks ago.

THE funeral of the late Mark Smith, the actor, took place on Sunday at the Little Church Around the Corner, New York city. The pall-bearers were A. Oakey Hall, Lester Wallack, Whitelaw Reid, Max Strakosch, William Stuart, John Gilbert, Charles Fisher, William Winter, H. D. Palmer, H. C. Jarrett, Douglass Taylor, and A. M. Palmer.

A CORRESPONDENT in Genoa gives a graphic picture of the rural quiet and content in which General Kossuth passes his declining days. So much has been said of the destitution of the Hungarian President that the American people will be glad to hear that his surroundings are pleasant in his tranquil age. With such a picturesque landscape around him, with modest ease and plenty at his command, and a seat in the Hungarian Parliament for him to refuse whenever there is a vacancy, it would be hard to conceive a happier ending for a well spent life.

BAYARD TAYLOR delivered his lecture on "Ancient Egypt" before the students of Dartmouth College on Tuesday evening. In the course of it he alluded to the story found among the ancient records concerning a difficulty between a young Captain and the wife of the monarch, which might have been Joseph and Potiphar's wife, and took occasion to deny the absurd report that he had found and translated the correspondence between those persons. "Even if I had found the correspondence," said he, "I would certainly never have published it."

AT the foot of the Chestnut Hills, in North Coventry, Chester county, reside two eccentric batchelors, Messrs. John and Frederick Hamilton, who are now between sixty and seventy years of age. They live happily together, have no women about to give them a curtain lecture when they are out o' nights, nor to tenderly care for them in their hours of sickness. They keep separate tables, do their own cooking, washing and mending, make their own beds, and do all necessary work that is done about a well regulated household. Besides being good housekeepers, these old gentlemen are of an inventive turn of mind. They recently invented a threshing machine, which is worked with a crank. Five hundred sheaves of wheat and fifty bushels of oats were threshed out by it one day.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

THE new muffs are said to be large enough for two hands only.

NEW YORK has been troubled with a bad taste in the Croton water recently.

SOME cocoanut trees are flourishing in one of the public parks of San Francisco.

THE pumpkin and buckwheat crops are reported to be unusually large this season.

A COUNTERFEIT $5 note on the Trader's National Bank of Chicago, is in circulation.

SOMEBODY has ascertained that it takes 48,000 house flies of average size to make a pound.

DURING the past year the United States imported 19,864,000 pounds of tea from Japan.

A FINE oil has lately been discovered in the seeds of the ochra plant, of a quality equal to olive oil.

THE estimated value of sponge collected for the season on the Florida Reef will amount to about $65,000.

JOSH BILLINGS says:

"Life iz full ov kare and trubble,
Whether you go it single or dubble."

THE NATIONAL GRANGE at Washington in a report just issued, announces that on October 1st there were 20,800 subordinate granges in the United States. There are 369 granges in Pennsylvania and 80 in New Jersey. These bodies are distributed all over the Union, but are most numerous in the States of the Mississippi valley.

THE Atlanta *News* chants:

The melancholy days have come,
The saddest of the year:
It's most too warm for whisky,
A little too cool for beer.

IN THE Circuit Court, at Towsontown, Md., on Saturday morning, the case of Samuel McDonald, on trial for the murder of Amos Berry, was concluded by the jury bringing in a verdict of "not guilty."

THE Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of Pennsylvania will be joined by the members of that organization in Washington, on their visit to New Orleans in December, at the triennial meeting of the General Grand Encampment.

If Mr. Beecher is guilty, he is playing a bold and desperate game. Certainly it seem that the avenging Nemesis has taken possession of his mind, and is impelling him on to destruction.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Just so. But if he is *not* guilty, what then?

THE debts of all the States and Territories of the Union, it is estimated, do not much exceed $300,000,000. A considerable amount of this sum was incurred by the loyal States to equip troops to aid in the suppression of the Confederacy. Of this $300,000,000 the eleven Southern States owe one-half, or about $150,000,000.

SOMETIMES it happens in New York that the witnesses in criminal cases are punished with greater severity than the criminals themselves, for the latter often go unpunished, while the witnesses are locked up in jail. The *Tribune* says that, of the witnesses now in confinement, one has been held 314 and another 223 days, and of the others, all have been held over two months, three of them 82 days, and one 108 days.

ALEXANDER CHARLES tells the same old story of three card monte, in the Chicago *Tribune*: Enter "honest farmer," blubbering. He has lost all his money, so he says, to a gang of monte men, and has nothing to show for it except the three cards he snatched from the table. These he produces and shuffles awkwardly. A crowd, inspired by sympathy, gather around him. He shows how he was cheated. Two or three confederates offer to bet. The victim is willing to try it again, if anybody will lend him the money. One of the gang obliges him. He bets and loses almost every time. Then the unwary passengers take out their money and lose it.

FOREIGN ITEMS.

ACCORDING to official statistics just published, there were 5,275 suicides in France in 1873.

THURSDAY, the 29th inst., is appointed as Thanksgiving Day in the Province of Ontario.

SOME young Japanase are to be sent, at the charge of their Government, to Pilsen, in Bohemia, to learn the art of brewing.

ONE of the Paris railroad companies advertises a "dead man's train," which is specially reserved for the transport of funeral parties to one of the suburban burial grounds.

THERE are 787 islands off the coast of Scotland, of which about 186 are inhabited. Many of them are very small, mere rocks rising out of the sea, without vegetation of any kind.

AN approaching revolution in bonnets is announced by a Paris correspondent of a London trade journal, who states that there are to be real bonnets once more—bonnets with brims, crowns, strings, and perhaps curtains.

THE first American "tramway," as they call the street railways in Paris, has just gone into operation there. It runs from the Place de'l Etoile to Suresnes, and the cars have been well patronized ever since it was opened.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from Paris says the Princess De Bourbon, Mme. Perkins, whose husband is now in prison, is utterly destitute, with three children, begging for work and asking the loan of the small sum of twenty dollars. Her aunt, the ex-Queen of Spain, lives but a few doors away, but will not help her, and none of her rural relatives will give her a sou. She is now depending on the charity of Americans.

A CORRESPONDENT publishes a letter from Dockray, the American, convicted in Cuba, in which he (Dockray) says: "I was sent off so abruptly from Cuba that I am here in Santander prison without means, without clothing, and almost in a suffering condition. I have written to Mr. Cushing, at Madrid, but as yet have heard nothing. The Lord only knows what will be my situation or fate in the face of the present impotency of our Government in its dealings with Spain."

MRS. HOOPER gives as a reason why soda water does not go down as a beverage in Paris, that a Frenchman who pays ten cents a drink wants a seat at a table, a sight of the daily papers, and plenty of time to sip it in. Free lunches have failed in Paris because the Frenchmen who came to them, among whom were people of the better classes, including many members of the fashionable jockey club, would eat all they wanted without thinking of ordering anything to drink.

IN Yeddo, Japan, there are no less than eighteen newspapers, of which some are daily and others appearing every fifth day. The three which have the largest circulation are the *Nisshinshinjishi*, a daily sheet, of which an average of 1,500 copies are issued; the *Tokionichinichi Schimbum*, a daily paper, with 800 circulation, and the *Chinbunshi*, a daily, with the same. Of the other fifteen some appear daily, and each furnish about 200 copies. A Japanese *Punch* has also been commenced.

A SUABIN schoolmaster taught school for fifty-one years, and during that period he inflicted the following punishments, and kept a faithful record of the same, viz: 911,500 canings, 121,000 floggings, 209,000 custodies, 10,200 ear-boxes, 22,700 tasks, 136 tips with rule, 700 boys he caused to stand on peas, 6,000 to stand on sharp-edged wood, 5,000 to wear the fool's cap, 1,700 to hold the rod; total, 1,282,936 cases of punishment. He had probably never heard of old Roger Ascham's saying, that often the rod is laid on the scholar's back when it should be applied to the schoolmaster's

ANOTHER MUTAL FRIEND.

The Result of Writing Another Man's Love Letters.

[From the Rondout (N. Y.) Freeman.]

There resided in the lower portion of this city not long since a swain whose sweetheart dwelt in a distant place, and in communication with her lover was compelled to call in the aid of a third person, as early education was defective, perhaps from too frequent indulgence in "playing hookey." To guard against any temptation for the scribe's falling in love with his sweetheart the young fellow settled upon a married man to perform the duties thereof; and so for a time things worked most harmoniously. The scribe had been there himself, and, profiting by his experience, he penned such deliciously gushing letters to Mary Ann, in the name of George of course, that the little maid soon surrendered the citadel of her heart to George, and promised in due time to surrender her hand also. Now time in its flight caused the swain to move to a neighboring river town, to pursue his calling, and it was necessary to keep up the correspondence with Mary Ann in the same handwriting, so George got a friend in his new home to write the tender messages and mail them to the scribe in this city to copy and post. The plan succeeded admirably for a time, but on one ill-fated day the scribe, after inditing a most loving epistle to Mary Ann, ending, of course, with a prayer for a reply by return mail, in a fit of abstraction signed his own instead of George's name. The return was a female, and no less a one than Mary Ann's own mother, who searched out the scribe, and laying his last tender effusion to her daughter before his astonished eyes, asked him, in such tones as only an outraged mother can command, how dared he, a married man, with a family, write such a letter to her daughter? Then that scribe had to rise and explain how he had been engaged in an amicable fraud, and the words must not be taken as an expression of his own sentiments, but as those of George. The explanation, however, fully satisfied the matron, and all is again serene.

Rum and Religion.

Dr. Prime has a sharp-nibbed pen, which he sometimes uses effectively in the columns of the *Observer*. For example: "On the beach where was the port of Antioch, where the disciples were first called Christians, the steamer in which we were journeying made a landing. There was no town there; no wharf, no people; the merchandise and passengers were put ashore in a lighter, which ran up into the sand. A troop of camels with their drivers lay on the beach to transport the goods into the interior. The chief article landed was in barrels marked distinctly *Boston Rum*. These barrels were to be hoisted upon the backs of the camels and taken to Antioch! We sat on a barrel and mused upon the progress of Christianity and civilization."

The Coal Trade.

The quantity sent for the last week by rail was 136,046 tons; by canal, 20,493—for the week, 156,539 tons, against 125,826 for the corresponding week last year. Increase, 30,713 tons. The supply sent from all the regions was 462,914 tons anthracite, and 75,285 bituminous—for the week, 538,199 tons, against 589,080 for the corresponding week last year. Decrease, 50,880 tons. The supply sent from all the regions so far this year is 16,434,777 tons, against 17,585,907 to corresponding period last year. Decrease so far this year, 1,151,130 tons. The decrease in anthracite is 1,220,029 tons.—*Pottsville Miners' Journal.*

A COLORED musical prodigy, who, it is reported, rivals blind Tom, has been discovered at Scranton, Pa.

DOG IN A CHURN.

How He Didn't Become Butter.

A short time since a farmer's wife residing in Berks county, was engaged on the green sward in front of the house in churning butter. The female is one of those spruce, tidy house-wives of which Berks county is so proverbial, and invariably takes special pains to turn out prime butter and light bread. Now the woman in question opened the lid of the churn to see what progress she had made, and having business in the house, neglected to replace it. A small dog belonging to the family, one of those breed of poodles good for nothing else but to lie in the sun and wag their narratives, came along at a dog trot, having no doubt sniffed a feast from afar. Ponto halted when in front of the churn, and with a bound landed on its top. Scanning the surroundings, and finding the coast clear, the brute inserted his head into the open vessel, and was very soon engaged in satiating his appetite on its rich contents. Horror upon horror, elongating his neck deep into the churn in search of butter curds, the dog fell through the opening into the open vessel. Just at this moment the woman returned, and hurriedly replacing the lid, made things lively for the purp for a while. After manipulating the crank for fifteen minutes she took a peep inside, and supposing the dog to be a lump of butter, inserted her hand for the purpose of removing it, whereupon the animal squirmed around and the woman, who is a firm believer in signs and tokens, quickly withdrew her hand and left the spot at the top of her speed in search of her husband, who was at work in the barn. The man, upon reaching the green and making an examination turned to the partaker of his "joys and sorrows," and said: "Mine Got, Betz, sis forhoftich unsa clay hundly, 'Ponto,'" The poodle was brought forth, the contents of the churn emptied, and things assumed their regular channel again.

FRED GRANT'S MARRIAGE.

The Coming Society Event in Chicago.

A letter from Chicago to the New York *World* says: "Fashionable Chicago is wholly wrapped up in the preparations for the forthcoming great society event—the nuptials of Lieutenant Colonel Grant and Miss Ida Honore. The marriage will take place at the residence of the bride's parents, Vincennes avenue, corner Forty-seventh street, on Wednesday afternoon, October 20. A large number of invitations have been issued. The preparations are on an elegant scale. Kingsley will be the caterer, and has been given *carte blanche* to provide all for the occasion. The minister will be the Rev. Isaac Erritt, a member of the 'Christian' or Campbellite Baptist persuasion, the Honores being followers in that direction. Colonel Grant is a strict Methodist, but he does not object to being married by a Campbellite. The bridesmaids have been selected, and are among the loveliest of Chicago's fashionable fair.

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Joseph Pomeroy.

Joseph Pomeroy, who died a few days since, at his residence, at Academia, Juniata county, Pa., was born near Roxbury, Franklin county, October 18, 1804, at which place three generations of his ancestors had preceded him, his great grandfather having located in Lurgan township soon after the year 1730, among the first white settlers of Cumberland Valley. At an early age he entered the store of the late Stephen Culbertson, in Shippensburg, and after remaining several years with him he went to Concord in 1826, to take charge of a store, which he conducted successfully for three years, when he and his brother, William R., who lives at Concord, entered into the mercantile business together. He afterwards enlarged his business by the erection of an extensive tannery at Concord, when his brother and nephew became partners with him, and continued the business together for several years. In 1840 he was elected to the Legislature from Franklin county; but failed, with his ticket, in 1841. He was the Republican candidate for Congress in 1856 in this district, composed of Adams, Franklin, Fulton, Bedford and Juniata counties. In 1861 he was elected Associate Judge of Juniata county, being the only Republican on his ticket elected, and served the term of five years.

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OF
WOOLEN GOODS,
COTTON GOODS,
DOMESTIC GOODS,
DRESS GOODS,
HOSIERY AND GLOVES,
UNDERWEAR,
NOTIONS AND TRIMMINGS,
ALL THE
Lowest Prices
By the Piece, Package or Bale.

PROPOSALS.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, October 5, 1874.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS—SEALED Proposals will be received at this office until THURSDAY, the 15th day of October, 1874, at 2 P. M., for the following work:

GRADING, PAVING AND CURBING.

Craft avenue, from Fifth avenue to a point 117.5 feet southeast of Niagara street.

Meyran street, from Fifth avenue to Bates street.

Also, for the Names of Streets either on finger boards or gas lamps. Bidders will accompany their bids with sample of names.

Plans and specifications can be seen and blanks for bidding can be had at this office. No bids will be received after 2 P. M.

The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids, should they deem it necessary for the interest of property owners or the city.

A. DEMPSTER,
oc5 City Engineer.

EAGLE FILE WORKS
Manufacturers of Superior
Hand Cut Files and Rasps.
ALL OUR WORK
Warranted Unconditionally.
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263 LIBERTY ST.

OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—SEALED PROPOSALS, indorsed "Proposals for Laying Water Pipe," will be received at the office of the Water Extension Committee, Municipal Hall, until OCTOBER 19th, at 7½ P. M., for the following work: For laying about 500 feet of 6 inch pipe on Lincoln avenue; for laying about 300 feet of 6 inch pipe on Clay street. The Committee reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

C. B. BOSTWICK,
oc10:h69 Clerk pro. tem.

CITY ASSESSOR'S OFFICE,
THIRD FLOOR MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, October 10, 1874.

NOTICE TO PROPERTY OWNERS.—In accordance with an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Providing for the Equalization of the Valuation of Taxable Property," owners of real and personal property are hereby notified that Return Lists are now ready and can be obtained on application at this office.

THOS. H. PHELPS,
oc10 City Assessor.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, October 6, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' report on the damages caused by Grading PEARL STREET from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue has been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.

oc6 A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, October 6, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT the Viewers' Reports on the construction of Yard alley sewer, from Pride street to Josephine street; Clark alley sewer from Miller street to Passavant's alley; and Boyd and Watson street sewer from Dunn's line on Watson street to Old avenue, have been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.

A. DEMPSTER,
City Engineer.

CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE, MUNICIPAL HALL,
PITTSBURGH, October 6th, 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' Reports on the opening of Craft avenue from Fifth ave. to a point 120 feet southeast of Niagara street; opening and widening Ellsworth avenue from Neville street to Aiken avenue; opening Thirty-ninth street from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue; Fortieth street from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue; Carson street from Monongahela bridge to city line; Virginia avenue from Kirkpatrick street to Oneida street; Thirty-eighth street from Penn avenue to Liberty avenue; Carnagie avenue from Fifty-fourth street to Fifty-fifth street; Forty-fifth street from Davison street to Penn avenue; Mary street from John street to Fortieth street; Broadway from Negley avenue to Hiland avenue; Charles street from Niagara street to Henry street; Albert street from Charles street to terminus of the cliff; Morris street from Charles street to line of property of Jos. Gallagher; Henry street from Charles street to Bates street; Iowa street from Herron avenue to Bellefield avenue; Camp street from Herron avenue to Jefferson street; Adelleda street from Madison avenue to Iowa street; Jefferson street from Ridge street to Alpine street; Elizabeth avenue from Fifth avenue to a point 240 feet south; Howley avenue from Thirty-eighth street to Fortieth street; Forty-seventh street from Butler street to Allegheny Valley Railroad, have been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.

A. DEMPSTER,
oc6 City Engineer.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

LIMITED PARTNERSHIP.—A LIMITED partnership has been formed as of October 1st, A. D. 1874, between the undersigned under the laws of Pennsylvania relating thereto, and notice is hereby given:

1st. That the name of the firm under which such partnership is to be conducted is WILSON, WALKER & CO.

2d. That the general nature of the business intended to be transacted by said partnership is the manufacture of Iron in all its branches.

3d. That the names of the General Partners of said partnership, and their respective places of residence, are as follows, viz:

JOHN T. WILSON, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
JAMES R. WILSON, Allegheny City, Pa.,
JOHN WALKER, Allegheny City, Pa.,
ALEX. LEGGATE, Allegheny City, Pa.

4th. That the Special Partner in said partnership is ANDREW CARNEGIE, of New York City, and the amount of capital contributed by him to the common stock is sixty thousand dollars.

5th. That the period at which this partnership commences is the first day of October, A. D. 1874, and the period at which it will terminate is the 1st day of October, A. D. 1884.

JOHN T. WILSON,
JAMES R. WILSON,
ALEXANDER LEGGATE,
JOHN WALKER,
General Partners,
ANDREW CARNEGIE,
oc10:h56 Special Partner.

NOTICE OF
Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of WILSON, LEGGATE & Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the late firm will be settled by their successors, WILSON, WALKER & CO.

JOHN T. WILSON,
ALEXANDER LEGGATE,
JOHN WALKER,
JAMES R. WILSON,
HOWARD MORTON.
PITTSBURGH, October 1, 1874. oc8:h55

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ALL FORMS of Private and Chronic Diseases, at the Girard Medical Dispensary, No. 137 Grant street, Pittsburgh, Pa. The proprietors are regular graduates of medicine and surgery, as diploma at office will show, are longer engaged and the most successful, as their extensive city practice will prove. Age, with experience, can be relied on.
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FINANCIAL.

FRANKLIN SAVINGS FUND AND SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY,
Cor. Seventh Avenue and Smithfield Street.
Incorporated by Legislature of Pennsylvania.
CAPITAL, - - - - - - $250,000.

Interest allowed on deposits. Short Loans on Valuable Property, Real or Personal. Discounts daily.

Open daily from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Saturdays from 7 to 9 P. M.
JOSEPH M. GAZZAM, President.
SAMUEL A. LONG, Vice President and Business Manager.
DIRECTORS.
J. M. Gazzam, Andrew J. Lee,
J. P. Smith, George M. Reed,
Samuel A Long, Frank Kohne.
JOHN G. MACCONNELL, Solicitor.

PRAETSCH, STROUS & CO.,
BANKERS AND BROKERS,
No. 58 FOURTH AVENUE,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

Deposits received and interest allowed on daily balances.
Collections made on all points of the United States.
We buy and sell Stocks, Bonds and Government Securities on Commission.
Mortgages and Commercial Paper A SPECIALTY.
Passage tickets to and from Europe and Sight Drafts on England, Ireland and Scotland at lowest rates.

SHOE AND LEATHER BANK,
14 Smithfield Street,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
CAPITAL, - - - - - - $200,000.
D. R. DAVIDSON, President.
JOHN D. FRASER, Cashier.

Deposits received and 6 per cent. interest allowed on Time Deposits. Particular attention given to collections and proceeds promptly remitted.

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,
Cor. Wood St. and Sixth Ave.
CAPITAL, - - - - - - $250,000.
SURPLUS, - - - - - - 127,000.

Interest allowed on Time Deposits.
Exchange on Germany, France, England and Switzerland at lowest rates. Collections made promptly on all parts of the United States and Canadas. Particular attention given to all business of correspondents.
DIRECTORS—A. Groetzinger, J. F. Havekotte, W. F. Lang, J. C. Dickson, E. H. Meyers, Jos. Lang, Paul Hugus, Christ. Seibert, P. Haberman.
A. GROETZINGER, President.
JOSEPH LAURANT, Cashier.

INTERNATIONAL BANK,
Cor. Liberty and Market Sts.
CAPITAL $200,000.
PAYS INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.
5 per cent. per annum upon daily balances—from inactive non-borrowing accounts—payable on demand.
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W. H. MECHLING, President.
WM. NEEB, Vice President.
F. E. MOORE, Cashier.

DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, October 12, 1874.

There was the usual spasmodic activity on Saturday at our banks, but it merely indicated the usual Saturday demand for money for current needs, and not any substantial change in the condition of the money market. General business may be rated at about two-thirds what it was prior to the panic. Somewhat extended inquiry among our merchants and manufacturers on this point has led us to the conclusion that this fairly states the situation. But profits do not correspond with the volume of business. That is, while manufacturers and merchants sell about two-thirds as many goods as they did before the panic, they do not realize proportionate profits. Very many have made little or nothing, and some have made proportionate profits.

A very singular result of the panic is the fact that in many departments of business it has led to an extension of credits, in place of contraction and an effort so restore a cash basis. A wholesale dealer assured us on Saturday that three or four months credits had been given previously to the panic. Six months credits are now freely offered. The reason for it is the desire to force sales. Yet we are inclined to think that if generally followed its tendency will be to retard recovery from the effects of the panic, rather than to hasten it.

L. Roberts & Co., South street, New York, for many years the largest receivers of flour in the United States, suspended Friday. The assets of the firm and the members' private property are sufficient to pay their obligations, and leave a handsome surplus. The suspension is understood to be only temporary.

The oil fire on Herr's Island, Saturday, involved a loss to the owners of from $30,000 to $40,000.

The decline in the New York stock market of Friday and Saturday justified the caution we have given our friends who dabble in the article. There was no pressure brought to bear to cause the decline. Not a firm failed. Not a sign of commercial weakness was anywhere observable on the commercial horizon. The droop was the result of a pure selling process by those who were long of stocks. It is to be added, however, that this class can not permit too serious a decline, for, being unable to unload, as it were, all at once, they must come in now and then to sustain the market, and in the result of their operations we shall doubtless see reactions from time to time and encouraging rallies to outside buyers.

The total imports of foreign dry goods at New York, for the week, were $2,019,347 and the amount marketed $2,189,960. The imports for the corresponding week of last year were $2,091,112, and for 1872 $1,403,240.

London advices state that the Bank of England Friday gained £86,000 sterling, and that the rate of discount is only ½ per cent. below that of the Bank. American securities are weak, and show a decline of ¼ to ½ per cent., with the exception of the new fives. These are reported firm. Erie is apparently the bone of contention on the London Exchange, and declined as low as 28¼, against 30½ Thursday. The cable dispatches state, at half past two o'clock P. M.: "The Erie report is printed, and is now being read page by page in the Stock Exchange. After each page is read Erie stock advances or recedes, according to its purport." The last price quoted was 28¾, and the inference drawn by the street on this side was that the report was not favorably regarded.

Advices from Frankfort indicate a stringent money market, with the rate of discount of the open market 4¾ per cent. and bank notes 5 per cent. This fact gave rise to idle rumors concerning a possible panic on the German Bourse; but, of course, they were without foundation. Paris dispatches quote rentes at 62f. 30c. The market for yarns and fabrics at Manchester is reported quiet and firm. Breadstuffs quiet.

Luther S. Kauffman, Broker, No. 96 Fourth Avenue, furnishes the following quotations of bonds and stocks from the latest advices by telegraph:

	Opened.	Closed.
Gold	110⅛	110⅛
U. S. Sixes—1881—coupons	118½	118⅛
5-20 1862	112¾	112⅝
20—1864	115⅝	115⅝
" 1865	116⅛	116⅛
" 1865 new	117⅛	116
" 1867	117⅜	117⅜
" 1868—coupons	117⅛	117⅜
10-40's	111	111¼
Currency 6's	117¼	117¼
New 5 per cents	112⅛	112⅛
10-40's—coupons	111⅛	111⅛
RAILWAYS.		
New York Central	101	101¼
Erie	29¾	29⅝
I. C.	92	90
B. H. & E.	1	1⅛
C. C. & I. C.	10⅜	11
St. Paul	33⅛	33¼
Do. Pref.		50⅞
Michigan Southern	79¾	79⅝
Do. Central	73	
North Western Common	37⅞	38⅜
Do. Pref	53	54
Rock Island	102	98⅞
Cleveland & Pittsburgh	87⅛	87¼
Pacific Mail	47	47¼
Western Union Telegraph	78⅝	79⅛
Ohio & Mississippi	27¼	28
Union Pacific	35⅛	35⅝
Toledo & Wabash	32	32¼
Harlem	128½	128⅛
Chicago & Alton		98⅛
Adams Express	107⅛	107⅛
American Express	60⅛	60⅛
U. S. Express	66	65
Quicksilver	30½	
Fort Wayne	91	91
Merchants Union Express	18	18
Hannibal & St. Joseph	25	25⅛
Panama		110¾
A. & P. Pref		12
W., Fargo & Co. Express	79¼	80
Iron Mountain	15	15
Terre Haute	6	6

Messrs. Robinson Bros., bankers, No. 78 Fourth avenue, furnish the following quotations of active stock on the Philadelphia Stock Board to-day:

Penna Central	53⅛	
Reading	54	
United Cos. of N. J.	126½	
Oil Creek	8½	
Lehigh Valley	61	61⅛
A. V. R. R. 7-30s	89⅛	
P. C. & St. L. 7's	67⅛	

NEW YORK, October 10, 1874.

Money closed at 2@3 per cent. Foreign exchange closed dull at 484@484½ for bankers' sixty days sterling and 487¼ and 487 3-4 for demand. Gold opened and closed at 110 1-8, with some sales in the interim at 110. The rates paid for borrowing were 1, 2 and 1½ per cent. Loans were also made flat and at 1 per cent. for carrying. The clearings were $28,000,000. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed during the week $277,000, and received for customs $2,383,000. The specie shipments in the same time were $206,762, all silver bars. The imports were: dry goods, $2,019,000; merchandise, $4,460,000. Governments closed dull. State bonds were quiet. Stocks opened weak and unsettled, and remained dull throughout the greater part of the day. Towards the close prices showed an advance of ½ to 1¼ per cent. from the lowest point of the day. The greatest improvement was in Panama, Rock Island, Union Pacific, Lake Shore, Northwest common, Ohio, Wabash and Western Union. Rock Island sold at 98 3-8@98 3-4, ex dividend, this afternoon, and closed at 98 7-8 to 99. The transactions on the Stock Exchange aggregated 150,000 shares. Included in the sales were 27,000 shares Western Union, 15,000 Pacific Mail, 24,000 Erie, 33,000 Lake Shore, 27,000 Union Pacific, 13,000 Northwestern, 5,000 St. Paul, and 9,000 Toledo and Wabash.

Governments.—U. S. coupons of 1881, 118½; 5-20s of '62, 112⅝; do of '64, 115⅝; do '65, 116⅛; do '65 new, 116; do of '67, 117⅜; do of '68, 116⅞; new 5s, 112⅛; 10-40s, 111⅛; currency 6s, 117¼.

State Bonds.—Missouri sixes, 94½; Tennessee, old, 68; do new, 68; Virginia new, 33; do old, 33; North Carolina, old, 21; do new, 12½.

Stocks.—Canton, 40; Western Union Telegraph Company, 79¼; Quicksilver, 31; Adams Express, 108; Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, 78; American Express, 60½; United States Express, 66; Pacific Mail, 47¼; New York Central, 101¼; Erie, 29⅝; do. preferred, 50; Harlem, 128½; do. preferred, 125; Michigan Central, 73; Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago Railroad, 87½; Northwestern common, 38⅜; do. preferred, 54; Rock Island, 98⅞; New Jersey Central, 103¾; St. Paul, 33¼; do. preferred, 55⅞; Toledo & Wabash, 32¼; do. preferred, 39; Fort Wayne, 91; Terre Haute, 6; do. preferred, 22; Chicago & Alton, 97; do. preferred, 102½; Ohio & Mississippi, 27⅞; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 66; Burlington & Quincy, 101½; Lake Shore, 79⅝; Panama, 11; Illinois Central, 90; Union Pacific, 35½; Central Pacific, 92⅛; Union, 88¾; Hartford & Erie, 1⅛; Delaware & Lackawanna, 106⅛.

LONDON, October 10—The rate for money at the Stock Exchange on Government securities is 1½. Consols: money 92⅛@92⅜; account, 92⅜; 5-20's of '65, 108⅛; do of '67, 109⅛; 10-40's 103⅛; new 5's, 104⅜; New York Central 99; Erie 29; do. preferred 45.

PARIS, October 10.—Rentes, 62f. 25c.

COMMERCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

PITTSBURGH DAILY MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, Oct. 10, 1874.

General business continues fairly active, and while it is not all that could be desired by any means, it is about all that can be expected, and, furthermore, notwithstanding the demand for everything is restricted to supplying immediate wants, the aggregate business is not so much behind what it usually is at this season of the year. It is also worthy of mention that our merchants and manufacturers are pursuing a very cautious policy; they are, as a rule, refusing to sell to doubtful or long-winded buyers, as was very common prior to the panic, hence they are having but few bad debts and there is less complaint as regards collections. Many of them have arrived at the conclusion that it is better to curtail their business, than to sell to doubtful or long-time buyers, as staple goods, in these days of fine margins, are much better property than promises to pay.

APPLES—There is a fair demand and we can report regular sales at $1.50@2.50 ⅌ bbl for fair to choice.

BUTTER—The market continues active, and prices, especially for the finer grades, are firm with a continued upward tendency; prime to choice rolls, in tubs and firkins, 35@37.

CHESTNUTS—$4.75@5 ⅌ bushel.

CHEESE—There is a steady demand and we can report regular jobbing sales at 15½@16 for Ohio Factory and 16½@17 for New York.

CRANBERRIES—Jerseys, $10@12; Sackett's, $15 ⅌ bbl.

EGGS—We continue to quote 24c as the ruling rate, and the market is scarcely as strong as it was early in the week.

FLOUR—The flour trade is devoid of any new features worthy of special notice; the demand is light while prices remain unchanged. Spring wheat flours, $6@6.50 for Wisconsins; and $6.75@7 for Minnesotas; winter wheats, $6@6.50 for red and $7@7.50 for white.

GROCERIES—Trade continues quiet, and the market, in a general way, presents but little that is important. Coffee is still reported firm at the seaboard, and business is restricted to some extent for want of supplies. A Rio telegram under date of 7th inst. reports a further advance there, but it has apparently had but little influence upon the markets in this country. The telegram in question reports the purchases for the United States since the 30th ult. at 40,000 bags; cleared for United States, same time, 37,000 bags; loading for do. 63,000 bags; stock, 158,000 bags; average daily receipts 13,700 bags. Sugars steady with a very fair jobbing demand.

SYRUPS.			
Diamond	$1.30	Sugar house ex. .75	@80
Com. molasses	40	Choice Silver drips .75	@80
Porto Rico	70@75	New Orleans .85	@87
Sugar house good	60@65		
SUGARS.			
Crushed	11¾@12	Not Standard A	11⅛@11¼
Pulverized	11¾@12	Ex C Standard	11⅛@11¼
Granulated	11¾@12	Yellow B	10⅝@10¾
Standard A	11⅝@11¾		
COFFEES.			
Choice Rio ⅌ lb .25	@25½	Java, O. G. .32	@32
Good Rio ⅌ lb .23½	@24	Fancy Rio Roasted	26
Fair Rio ⅌ lb .21½	@22	Java Roasted	40
Com. Rio ⅌ lb .20	@21		
RICE.			
Rangoon ⅌ lb .7	@7½	Patna ⅌ lb 7¾	@8
Carolina ⅌ lb 7¼	@8¾		

GRAIN—The grain markets continue fairly active, and while the inquiry is entirely local, as there is no outlet from Pittsburgh, there is, nevertheless, a very fair business in the aggregate for the leading articles. Wheat is more inquired for and possibly a little firmer, but prices, however, are not quotably higher; we continue to quote at $1.12@1.15 for Penna and Ohio red and $1.18@1.20 for amber and white. There is little or no movement in Barley in this market, hence no regular rates have been established; Spring may be quoted from $1.15 to $1.25, according to quality. A round lot of prime fall would bring more. The Oat market is moderately active, with no quotable change in rates; 60@62. There is no price for new Ear Corn, and it has demoralized the market for old ear somewhat. Old Shelled is still quotable at 90@92. Rye is quiet and unchanged at $1@1.05.

GRAPES—3@4c ⅌ lb.

HAY—The market for baled continues dull, with more offering than there is a demand for, but prices remain unchanged; $18@22, according to quality.

ONIONS—$3@4 ⅌ bbl.

POULTRY—Live chickens quotable at 50@60c ⅌ pair, by the coop.

POTATOES—Quotable at 90@95c ⅌ bushel by the carload. Sweets $3.50@4 for Baltimores; Jerseys, $4.50@5.

PROVISIONS—The market is fairly active, without, however, any quotable change in quotations: Hams, 15 cents for plain and 14½c for canvassed; Sugar Cured shoulders, 12; Breakfast Bacon, 16½; Dried Beef, Sugar Cured, 15; Bacon Shoulders, 11½; Ribbed Sides, 15½; Clear Sides, 16½; Mess Pork, $25.00. Lard, in tierces, 16¼; in half barrels, 16¾; in bkts., 17¼.

TALLOW—Country, 7@7½; city, 8@8½.

SEEDS—Timothy Seed is quiet and unchanged at $2.90@3 ⅌ bushel to the trade.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CENTRAL STOCK YARDS, EAST LIBERTY, SATURDAY, Oct. 10, 1874.

ARRIVALS.

Following were the arrivals of live stock for the week, and, to afford a comparison, we append those of the corresponding week also:

	This Week.	Last Week.
Cattle	503 cars.	387 cars.
Hogs	195 "	237 "
Sheep	97 "	81 "
Horses	11 "	7 "
Mules	10 "	1 "
Total	816 "	713

FREIGHTS.

There has been no change whatever in rates of freight on live stock from this point eastward for several months, and we do not know that any is contemplated, but there is not much doubt but what the next change will be upward, and, furthermore, it is usual to advance rates in the fall of the year. Following are the current rates:

To Philadelphia	25c ⅌ cwt
To Baltimore	25c ⅌ cwt
To New York	30c ⅌ cwt

CATTLE.

The "run" was larger than it has been for some time past, the receipts exceeding those of last week, 116 cars, but we have reason to believe that the largest proportion of the increase consisted of through consignments. No two operators, it appeared, could agree this week in regard to the general tone and spirit of the market; all conceded that stockers and good feeders sold readily enough, and that, too, at full prices, but in regard to prime shipping stock, the reports were conflicting. Some of the salesmen claimed that the market for the kind in question was draggy, but that prices were no lower; others, alleged that, in addition to being slow, they did not bring last week's prices by from 20 to 25c, while others, again, equally as well informed and whose opinions are entitled to fully as much consideration, asserted that the supply of the kind in question was not equal to the demand, and that, taking the quality into consideration, prices were higher. Upon the whole, however, we do not think that there was any quotable change in prices, although the general tone of the market, especially toward the close, was favorable to the selling interest, as the supply was unequal to the demand. There was a very fair attendance of buyers, and, in addition to those from the East, there was some inquiry and several bunches sold to go to Allegheny, from which it is fair to infer that the Allegheny men can buy cheaper here than in the West, the great drawback with them being to get the kind of cattle suitable for their trade. The best sales reported were at 6½@6¾, although we understand that 7 cents was bid for five cars of extra Kentucky steers, and a couple of lots were sold to go to Allegheny, one at 7 and the other at 7¼, but 6¾ may be regarded as the top of the market for eastern shipment, and eastern men wanted something very fine if they paid the price in question. Sadler, Havens & Co. sold 3 cars common, 850 lb Texans, at 3¼, and 3 cars, averaging 900 lb, at 3⅜. Our New York advices report a good market for good stock, but very bad for Texans and common natives.

QUOTATIONS.

Extra 1,400@1,500 steers	6.50@6.75
Prime 1,200@1,300 steers	6.00@6.25
Good 1,000@1,100 steers	5.25@5.75
Common to medium butcher cattle	4.00@4.50
Stockers, as to quality	3.00@4.00
Bulls, as to quality	2.25@3.25

The New York *Tribune* of Friday says: "Recent failures among the wholesale slaughterers have added something to the depression noted for several days past, and there appears to be an unusual lack of confidence as to the near future, and an unsettled, weak feeling generally."

HOGS.

The arrivals, as will be seen, were 42 cars short of those of last week, and the falling off in quality was even greater than it was in numbers. The largest proportion of the receipts consisted of the common and medium grades, and, as the supply of heavy corn hogs has been scarcely equal to the demand for several days past, the market, which was dull and heavy during the early part of the week, has reacted, and prices for the kind in question have advanced from 30 to 40c ⅌ cwt. This day week there was no demand, and good Philadelphia hogs could not have been sold above 7, while this forenoon there were sales at 7.50@7.60, and some of our best informed operators predicted that they will bring 7¾ by Monday; light hogs, however, are no better, as the supply of this character is still fully equal to the demand, although the general tone of the market is perhaps a shade stronger. Yorkers may be quoted at 5½ to 5¾ for grassers, and 6 to 6¼ for corn-fed. Vetter & Brainard reported having shipped three cars of fair grassers, averaging 155 lbs, at 5.29.

SHEEP.

The market, notwithstanding the "run" was 16 cars in excess of that of last week, was a fair one for the selling interest; pretty much everything sold about as fast as it arrived, hence there was no chance for accumulation, and while the feeling was a little weaker towards the close, under the influence of the advices from New York, prices were fully sustained. The best part of the market was on Tuesday and Wednesday, as there was considerable competition during the time in question, but since then trade has been quiet, although, fortunately for the selling interest, the arrivals during the latter part of the week were meagre. Prime 90@95 lb fine wool quotable at 5¼@5½; good 80@85 lbs, 4½@5; 70@75 lbs, 3½@4. Lambs 50 to 60 lbs, 5½@6½. Erisman reports having purchased 35 cars of sheep here this week at prices ranging from 4½ to 5½.

The Texas-Kansas Cattle Trade.

The Texas cattle trade of this season at Topeka, Kansas, has increased 25 ⅌ cent. over that of last season same time, the number of head handled in 1873 being 118,206, and in 1874, 155,300, or 37,094 increase, with 113,000 more in the State of Kansas to come forward before December. The number shipped and to be shipped this winter is estimated at 500,000, representing about $10,000,000 in value. This includes the shipments of Abilene and other large shipping points in the State; but the exact proportion of each we have not received, except from Topeka. This does not include a large number which have been driven through the State into Colorado, Wyoming and the other Territories, most of which droves go through Kansas. To such magnitude as this has grown since the opening of railroads in that state what was formerly a comparatively insignificant trade; nor are its possibilities half developed, as the demand both from the East and West, is yearly increasing, as the supply of native cattle is annually decreasing. There can be but little doubt that for years the new trade will continue to extend, until Kansas will become, it may be, the great cattle raising, as well as shipping, State of the Union.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, October 10.—Wheat dull and unchanged. Corn steady at 83@84c. Oats steady at 52@55c. Petroleum unchanged.

PETROLEUM MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, Oct. 10, 1874.

CRUDE.

The most important feature we have to notice is that there has been a perceptible decline in prices during the week, and the market closes quiet at a reduction of from 10 to 15 cents ⅌ barrel, as compared with the date of our last weekly report. Sales were reported yesterday, at Parker, at $1 ⅌ bbl, and it was quoted at the same figure to-day, whereas it was up to $1.12½@1.15 in the early part of the week. It was reported that the advance was caused by the pipe companies, who ran up prices to appease the producers, but what caused the decline we are unable to state, unless it was the reaction in the product. In regard to production, we hear of nothing new or important further than it is said to be holding its own, and the latest estimates in regard to the daily average yield, place it, in round numbers, at 30,000 bbls.

REFINED.

The has been quite a reaction in the market within the past day or two, and, as compared with the early part of the week, prices have declined from ¾ to 1 cent ⅌ gallon for Philadelphia and New York delivery; reliable advices this afternoon quoted at 11⅛ far the former and 12 for the latter. As we noted at the time, there has been considerable oil sold to go to Baltimore over the Connellsville Road, mostly, if not all, at 9¾, delivered on cars at Connellsville depot, although it is scarcely probable that that figure could now be realized. The advance in freight by the Penna Railroad, which took place on the 1st inst. amounts to almost two cents ⅌ gallon; prior to the advance the cost of transportation over the road in question was three cents ⅌ gallon, whereas it is now almost 5c.

BARRELS.

The Barrel trade continues very dull, and, what is worse still, there is but little prospect at this writing of an early change for the better, as our refiners are nearly all well supplied. Prices remain unchanged; $1.30 for countries, and $1.45 for city make.

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts Crude this week	612	bbls.
" last week	13,903	"
" Jan. 1 to date	1,323,605	"
" same time, 1873	1,454,318	"
Exports Refined this week	7,206	"
" last week	26,050	"
" Jan. 1 to date	831,452	"
" same time, 1873	670,736	"

RECEIPTS CRUDE OIL PER ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
J Bushnell	Crystal O W	922
Fisher Bros	Citizens O W	707
A Schuck	Sunbeam O W	74
Fisher Bros	Paine A & T	80
Fisher Bros	Fisher Bros	79
Total		1,882

Another Chicago Suspension.

A good deal of surprise and no little pain was caused this afternoon by the announcement that A. H. Pickering & Co. had suspended. The firm has always been regarded as one of the best, if not in point of capital, at least in regard to the moral quality of uprightness in dealing; and the suspension was undoubtedly a stern necessity, that could not have been avoided.

The firm is understood to have been long on wheat, and short on oats, while considerable loss was sustained last week in buying in some 10,000 bushels of corn, which ought to have been delivered by the Sturgis clique, and was not so delivered. About $4,000 is locked up in margins on that deal, and the firm lost about $2,000 by the Canoll & Thorne failure. These sums seem small in themselves, but they came on the heels of a failure to honor drafts made on Eastern parties, to whom they had shipped large quantities of wheat, and the firm thus loses a great deal, while Chicago operators will lose very little, if anything, by the suspension.

The announcement was made soon after the adjournment of 'Change, and caused a drop of ½c in wheat, owing to the pressure to sell quantities of that grain, which had previously been sold to Pickering & Co. The market rallied slightly after this pressure was over.—*Tribune.*

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, October 10, 1874.

FLOUR—Quiet and unchanged.

GRAIN—Wheat dull and weak; No. 1 spring 87c; No 2 90¾@90⅞c spot; 90½c seller October; 90c seller November; No 3 86@87c. Corn dull and declined; No. 2 mixed 78¼c spot; 78c seller October; 74c seller November; rejected 78c; new corn 60c. Oats steady, with a moderate demand; No. 2 49¾c cash; 49½c seller October; 48c seller November; rejected 46@47½c. Rye steady with a moderate demand; No 1 84@84½c. Barley dull and nominal; No 2 $1.06@1.07 cash; 99c seller November; No. 3 87@92c.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull and declined; $21 for old; $21.50 for new spot; $17.65 seller the year. Lard dull and nominal; 14½c spot; 11½c seller year. Bulk meats dull and nominal.

WHISKY—Steady, with a moderate demand at $1.01.

On call Board in the afternoon breadstuffs closed dull at the above quotations.

New York.

NEW YORK, October 10.—Flour: receipts 15,600 barrels; dull and lower; superfine western and State $4.35@4.75; common to good $4.85@5.35; good to choice $5.40@5.85; white wheat extra $5.80@6.35; extra Ohio $4.95@6.80; St. Louis $5.15@8.75; closing quiet. Rye flour unchanged. Wheat: receipts 92,000 bushels; market heavy and lower; No. 1 spring $1.20@1.23; No. 2 northwest $1.09@1.10; ungraded Iowa and Minnesota $1.05@1.22; white $1.28@1.36. Rye scarce and firm at $1@1.02. Barley quiet and unchanged. Malt quiet. Corn: receipts 18,000 bushels; market dull, with a limited demand; mixed western 96c; yellow 97¼c. Oats firmer; receipts 3,000 bushels; mixed 62@64½c; white 63@66½c. Hay steady at 60@65c. Hops firm. Coffee quiet. Sugar quiet at 8½@8¾c. Molasses and Rice unchanged. Petroleum lower; crude 5¾@5¾c; refined 12c. Turpentine firm at 38c. Pork dull at $22.50. Beef and cut meats quiet. Middles dull at 11½c. Lard heavy at 13¾c. Butter quiet at 23@38c. Cheese firm at 12½@15½c. Whisky lower at $1.06.

Metals.—Manufactured copper steady; Ingot Lake firmer at 21@22c. Pig iron; Scotch quiet at $37@40; American quiet at $24@30. Russia sheet 15@15¼c gold. Nails quiet; cut $3.65@3.75; clinch $5.50@6.50; horseshoe nominally unchanged.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, October 10.—Petroleum easier; refined 12½@12⅝c; crude in bbls 9@9¼c; bulk 5¼@6c. Clover seed 10½@10¾c. Flour firm; Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio family extra $5.50@6.25. Wheat steady; red $1.21; amber $1.24@1.28; white $1.28@1.35. Rye $1.06. Corn quiet and weak; yellow $1.02; mixed western $1.00. Oats quiet at 60c. Provisions steady. Pork $24@24.25. Lard 14¼@14½c. Whisky $1.06. Butter steady: western prime 36@38c. Cheese firm; prime western reserve 14½@15c. Eggs strong at 26@28c.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, October 9.—Corn scarce and firmer at $1.05@1.10. Pork dull and held at $22.50. Sugar: 7 hhds new received, classed yellow clarified, sold at 11½c. Molasses: 40 barrels new received sold as follows: common 70c; fair 75c; prime 85c; choice 90c. Coffee active and firmer; ordinary 16½@17½c; fair 18@18½c; good 18¾@19½c; prime 19½@20½c; stock 6,500 bags, all in dealers' hands. Others unchanged.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, October 10.—Cotton quiet at 14½@14¾c. Flour dull at $5@5.25. Wheat steady; red $1@1.06; white $1.10@1.15. Corn dull at 80@82c. Oats dull at 53@56c. Rye steady at 95c. Barley and Oils unchanged. Eggs firm at 17@18c. Butter firm. Cheese firm at 15@16c. Lard nominal; summer 13¾c. Pork nominal. Bulk meats dull and lower at 7½, 7¾, 13¾, 13¾@14c. Bacon heavy at 8¼, 8½, 14½, 14¾, 15@15¼c. Whisky dull at $1.

St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, October 10.—Cotton, Flour, Corn and Barley unchanged. Wheat dull; No 3 red fall $1.01@1.02. Oats dull at 51½@52c. Rye inactive at 92½c. Whisky firm at $1.12. Pork dull at $22. Dry salt meats dull at 12c for clear rib. Bacon dull. Eggs 15½@16c. Lard dull and nominal. Hogs dull; Yorkers $4.50@4.75; bacon $5@5.25; butchers' $5.25@5.59; extra $5.75@6. Cattle unchanged.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, October 10.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady and in moderate demand; No 2 white Wabash $1.16@1.16½; No 3 do $1.11; No 1 white Michigan $1.12½; No 1 red $1.10¼; No 2 amber Illinois $1.11. Corn dull and nominal. Oats dull and lower; No 2 52½c; Michigan 52½c; white 54c.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, October 10.—Flour active. Wheat firm; No 1 red and amber $1.23; No 2 do $1.28½; No 3 $1.17@1.18. Corn steady. Oats dull at 59@62c. Rye firm and unchanged. Hay unchanged. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Butter strong at 36@37c. Petroleum unchanged. Coffee quiet and nominal. Whisky nominal.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, October 10.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat weaker; No 1 Milwaukee $1.20¾; No. 2, 93c. Oats a shade firmer; No 2 49¾c. Corn easier; No 2 mixed 81c. Rye steady and quiet; No 1 87½c. Barley irregular; No 2 seller October $1.10; No 3, 93½c.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, October 10.—Cotton quiet; 14½c. Flour, Grain, Pork, Lard and Bulk Meats are unchanged. Bacon dull at 8½, 14½@15¼c. Sugar cured hams 13c; plain nominal. Whisky $1. Bagging unchanged.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, October 10.—Cotton quiet at 13⅝@13¾c. Flour quiet at $4.50@6.50. Wheat steady at $1.20. Corn steady at $1. Oats 65c. Provisions quiet and unchanged. Whisky in fair demand and market firm at $1.05.

Foreign.

LIVERPOOL, October 10.—Cotton quiet; middling upland 8d; Orleans 8⅜d; sales 12,000 bales, including 2,000 bales speculation and export; 7,500 bales American. Breadstuffs quiet. Beef 88s. Cheese 67s 6d. Tallow 42s 6d.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, October 10.—Cotton steady and in fair demand; middling 14½@14¾c. Bran, Flour and Provisions unchanged. Corn nominally 95c. Oats nominally 64c.

Indianapolis.

INDIANAPOLIS, October 10.—Flour firm and unchanged. Wheat steady at 95c@$1.10. Corn 79@80c. Oats steady at 50@52c. Rye steady at 90c. Barley $1.03@1.05.

Detroit.

DETROIT, October 10.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat steady; extra $1.17½@1.17¾; No 1 $1.13½@1.13¾; amber $1.06½@1.07. Corn dull and declined at 88@90c. Oats dull at 49@53c.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, October 10.—Wheat quiet and unchanged. Corn quiet at 93@94c. Barley quiet and firm.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, October 10.—Cotton quiet; sales of 391 bales; middling upland 15½c; Orleans 15¾c; futures closed steady, with sales of 20,500 bales, as follows: October 15 7-32@15¼c; November 15 7-32@15¼c; December 15⅝@15 17-32c; January 15 25-32c; February 16⅛c; March 16 15-32@15 11-16c; May 17¼c; June 17 11-32@17⅜c.

NEW ORLEANS, October 10.—Cotton: demand fair offerings; moderate; sales of 2,600 bales; low middling and higher grades a shade easier; other grades unchanged; good ordinary to strict good ordinary 13@13½c; low middling to strict low middling 14@14½@14¾c; middling to strict middling 14½@14¾c; good middling to middling fair 14⅞@15¾c; receipts 1,367 bales; exports coastwise 4,095 bales; Great Britain 1,854; stock 33,811; unsold last evening 13,909.

Wool.

BOSTON, October 10.—Wool is dull. Desirable wool is held with considerable confidence. There is no material change in prices. Receipts from the interior have largely fallen off; medium fleeces scarce and wanted; fine wools move slowly; pulled wools are scarce and firm; sales of the week include Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces, medium, treble extra and above 50@56c; Michigan fleeces 49@51c; Wisconsin and other fleeces 46@54c; washed combing and delaine 55@63c; unwashed combing 40@46c; tub washed 52½@58c; super and extra pulled 40@55c.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, October 10.—The weather was inclement to-day, and business was confined within the narrowest limits. Cotton goods are quiet, except four-yard browns and heavy standard makes, which are in improved request. Washington, Ruby, Swiss and green staple prints are reduced to 9½c. Dress goods and reps are in fair demand. Worsted shawls and hosiery are depressed. Kentucky jeans are more active in better grades. Woolens are dull, except flannels and blankets, which are selling well.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, October 10.—Cattle: receipts 1,100 head; market dull and prices nominally unchanged; sales mostly of stockers at $2.25@3; shipments 1,400. Hogs: receipts 6,000 head; market active, firm and higher at $5.90@6.30 for common to good; $6.75@7 for choice to extra; shipments 10,000 head. Sheep: receipts 400 head; market dull and nominally unchanged.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD—1 car lumber Heath & S; 1 do South Side P Mill Co; 1 do lime Crystal Glass Co; 1 do g stone F Alden; 2 cars potatoes Voigt M & Co; car lumber H Adams; 1 do Milliken Bro; 1 do Aubray & M; 74 bbls broken glass Wm Frank & Son; 10 bbls bble beans J A Graff & Son; 3 bdls bed springs P Eichenlaub; 6 do hose and belting Hartly McKee & Co; 7 billetts Hussey W & Co; 12 pails tobacco Hersch Bro; 9 bbls eggs E Fox & Co; 4 do W H Graff & Co; 8 bbls d plus Citizens Ref Co; 96 bbls apples S Warner; 4 tubs cheese Schlegal & Z; 6 pkgs sunds Head C & Co; 1 car f clay Reese G & A; 50 bbls 200 sks flour Watt L & Co; 100 bbls flour 20 pkgs oat meal F W Jenkins; 1 car s pipe H H Collins; 1 do J M Walker; 17 cks g ware Sackett & Co; 4 kegs butter J J Pettit & Co; 5 kegs oat meal J Porterfield & Co; 4 do D M Jenkins; 12 bdls chairs Lemon & W; 15 sacks rags McCullough & S.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—50 tres pickles Heinz N & Co; 200 do hams Reese Owens & Co; 2 cars flour T C Jenkins; 1 do speltre Byers McC & Co; 270 pigs lead Armstrong & McK; 1 car ice Fairman & F; 1 do middlings owner; 1 do Laing & McK; 65 bales hay J A Finney & Co; 2 cars do L G Graff & Co; 1 do W G Miller; 3 do M Meek; 1 do H J McCracken & Bro; 1 do s iron W Springer; 1 do Maloney & L; 3 setts springs McWhinney & Co; 10 sks onions Heinz & N; 10 bbls spirits Roedelheim & Co; 1 car liquor M Mullhall & Co; 2 cars potatoes Graff & Son; 2 do Bricker & Co; 135 bbls apples J J Pettit & Co; 31 doz brooms Johnson & C; 5 bbls eggs Voigt M & Co; 100 bdls shovels Myers & A; 46 hides J Callery & Co; 300 heads cabbage Jones & L; 18 bxs h ware T Binny & Co; 1 car s iron Zug & Co; 10 bbls eggs Voigt E & Co; 6 do J H Loh & Co; 25 crates peaches Morrison & Co; 7 do J White Jr & Son; 59 do Aiken W & P; 100 bbls 60 sks flour J Eisle; 1 car o bbls Penna Co; 1 do m bar Reese G & W; 1 do Graff B & Co; 10 bbls apples Voigt M & Co; 1 piano H Kleber & Bro; 6 cars flour owner; 1 car flour Schomaker & Co; 2 do potatoes A Bricker & Sons; 3 do stone E Evans; 1 do J Swan; 66 sks rags J Dunlap; car potatoes J Ellis; car h wine Shipton & W; 120 sks onions Aiken W & P; car potatoes Vangorder & S.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R R.—400 sks flour D Wallace; 100 bxs soap 300 sks m feed Dorrington Bros; 1 car hay Adams & K; 400 boxes starch P Duff & Son; 50 bbls flour 20 sks do B Knox & Son; 25 bbls do lot bulk middlings Roberts & S; 1 car f clay T Coffin & Co; 2464 pieces shoulders 50 tres hams W B Hays & Son; 100 bbls flour S Lindsay Jr & Co; 12 bxs shoulders 852 tres hams E H Myers & Co; 12 bbls whisky Rodelheim & Co; 1 car matches Scobie R & S; 40 kegs beer 6½ do do B Gallisath; 3 cars e corn W Welsh & Co; 2 do hay J H Floyd & Co; 3 do cement Laing & McC; 100 cads tobacco Johnson & C; 50 cars f clay T Coffin & Co; 92 bdls hides 1 do s pelts J Hamnett & Son; 5 bales cotton R Dickey & Co; 12 sks feathers F G Craighead; 1 car s iron Brown & Co; 1 car e corn Elwood & McC; 1 bxs spools 43 bales cotton Eagle Cotton Mills; 46 pkgs tobacco Dilworth Bros; 1 car e corn R Beall.

ALLEGHENY STATION—1 car lumber W Park; 10 bbls 40 sks do 1 car flour feed Hack & S; 1 car ear corn J A Duff; 2 do staves J H Lotz; 35 bdls hides H Stuffield; 11 crates peaches W Croft; 9 do apples F Owens; 10 bbls 40 sks flour J M Herron; 1 car flax seed M B Suydam; 3 sks wool S Bradley & Son; 1 car hay Geo Stewart; 2 cars lime Holmes & Co; 1 do hay Cleveland & A; 1 car lumber W Anshutz; 42 bxs soap L O Cowan; 25 do G Stewart; 10 do Lewis B & D; 101 bags feed Price Bro; 15 bbls 40 sks do W & J Carson.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.—37 cars coal Armstrong D & Co; 25 do sable C Co; 22 do N Y & C G C Co; 36 do stone Carnegie K & Co; 25 do J H Walters, 12 do J L Lowry; 2 do lumber Anderson & G; 2 do D T Fisher & Co; 2 do L R Norton; 2 do Barton & K; 1 do G M Lee; 1 do J Orr; 1 do J C Thompson & Son; 1 do A McClure & Co; 1 do E Alcott; 4 do f clay; Reed & H; 2 do lime W J Baughman; 2 do ice Chaut Lake I Co; 2 do cheese Braden & P; 1 do potatoes T H Phinney; 1 do hay Scott & G.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR.—4 cars oats McHenry & H; 1 do S B Floyd & Co; 1 do Scott & G; 1 do J Alexander; 1 do W C Barrett; 1 do Keil & R; 1 do 1 do rye M Meek; 1 do wheat Marshall K Co; 1 do oats L G Graff & Co.

Receipts Pig Metal, Ore and Blooms.

PITTSBURGH, FT. WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.

J Reamer m	4	Mackintosh H & Co	1
Nimick & Co m	12	Reese G & W m	4
Jones & L m	2		
Total			23

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

H Loyd & Co o	1	Cambria I Works p	10
Pgh Bolt Co o	2	Caughey & H p	1
Shoenberger B & Co o	2	Brown & Co o	2
Nimick & Co p	7	Dilworth P & Co o	1
W Clark & Co p	1		
Total			27

ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Lewis O & P m	4	Shoenberger B & Co	3
Nimick & Co m	4	W Smith & Son m	1
Byers & McC m	5		
Total			17

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RIVER NEWS.

State of the Rivers, Movements of Steamboats, &c.

OFFICE OF OBSERVATION, SIGNAL SERVICE, U. S. ARMY.—DAILY REPORT OF THE STAGE OF WATER, WITH CHANGES IN THE 24 HOURS ENDING 3 P. M.

Pittsburgh, Oct. 11, 1874.

Stations.	Above low water—or ft. in.	Change ft. in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Cairo, Ill.	5 1	—1 1	NW	Clear.
Cincinnati, O.	7 5	—3	NW	Fair.
*Confluence, Pa.	1		NW	Cloudy.
Davenport, Iowa	5 2	+1	NW	Clear.
Evansville, Ind.	3 11	+5	NW	Clear.
Fort Sully	4 2	—1	N	Clear.
Keokuk, Iowa	5 5	+1	NW	Fair.
*Leavenworth, Ks.	8	—2	N	Clear.
Dubuque	3 8	—1	NW	Cloudy.
Little Rock, Ark.	3 3		NE	Clear.
Louisville, Ky.	4 11	+3	W	Clear.
Memphis, Tenn.	4 10		NW	Clear.
Nashville, Tenn.	2 6	—4	NW	Clear.
Oil City, Pa.	1 2	+10	W	Fair.
Omaha, Neb.	3	—1	N	Clear.
Paducah	3	—3	W	Cloudy.
Pittsburgh, Pa.	1 9		NW	Fair.
Plattsmouth	2		W	Fair.
Shreveport, La.	9 5	+3	Calm	Clear.
St. Louis, Mo.	5 4	—1	N	Fair.
St. Paul, Minn.	4	—1	N	Cloudy.
Vicksburg, Miss.	8 7	—4	NW	Clear.
Yankton	7 10		NW	Fair.
LaCrosse	5 3	—3	N	Cloudy.
Morgantown	7	—1	SW	Fair.

*Below bench mark.

GEORGE H. ROHE,
Sergeant, Signal Service, U. S. A.

The river continues to recede steadily at this point, and navigation is virtually suspended. The weather continues cloudy and threatening rain for some time past, but as yet the promise has not been fulfilled. There have been no arrivals or departures for some days, and none are now to be expected.

—Walter writes from Cairo: The absorbing topic of conversation yesterday evening in river circles, was the action of the convention at St. Louis looking to the establishment of uniform and living rates of freight on our river. The move is certainly in the right direction, and if wisely managed and faithfully lived up to must work to the mutual good of all steamboat men. The danger will be in making rates to high to begin with. If the managers of the new associations are shrewd enough to find the point below which railroads cannot go profitably, and hold their rates at figures just below that, they may hope for success in the new departure, as it is a well known fact that steamboats can get a fair margin of profit out of rates that railroads could not touch. Cairo shippers are anxious to fall in with anything that will assist in restoring life to the steamboat interest, and will join St. Louis in the new movement, providing the rates on the two rivers are uniform, and that St. Louis tonnage will not discriminate against their interests. It only too often has happened in the past that after freight had accumulated here, St. Louis boats, instead of helping to reduce it, picked up cargoes elsewhere and left Cairo in the lurch.

—A St. Louis dispatch under date of 9th says: Business improving, especially in receipts of produce from the upper trades. The Bismarck and Belle of Shreveport leave for New Orleans to-morrow. River falling. Rates unchanged. The local board of the Steamboatmen's Association have failed to come to any understanding yet, and everything is going on the same as before they met. Capt. J. B. Woods and family, of New Orleans, are in the city, visiting relatives. The City of Helena will try her patent condensers to-morrow. She makes one trip in the Memphis trade before going to Vicksburg.

—Tom Clegg, mate of the Maggie Poe, was drowned last Tuesday, at the mouth of the Illinois. He was about to throw a line to a barge, when he suddenly straightened up and fell overboard, going down like a stone, and he was seen no more. Clegg was subject to fits, and it is believed that the accident was owing to one of these. He was formerly a ferryboat pilot at St. Louis, and leaves a wife.

—The Upper Ohio pilots met at the rooms of the St. Louis pilots yesterday morning, and organized under the head of the Mutual Aid and Improvement Society, as a branch of the Cincinnati organization, to be called the Upper Ohio River Pilots' Society. They elected W. H. Hall as Senior, and R. G. Shinkle as Secretary. Their place of meeting will be at the Cincinnati & St. Louis Pilots' Rooms, 21 Public Landing.—*Cincinnati Gazette, 9th.*

—St. Louis advices under date of 8th report as follows: Business almost entirely suspended and the city deserted, nearly everybody being at the fair. All the local packets which came in this morning were alive with people. Com. Kountz left for Pittsburgh last night, and T. P. Leathers leaves for New Orleans this evening. Com. R. C. Gray is still here.

—The Sioux City *Journal* of 6th says: Work upon the steamboat ways at Yankton is progressing finely. The Far West was expected to arrive at Yankton from above last night. The steamer Key West cleared from Yankton on Sunday, bound for Fort Rice. The Josephine got away from Yankton for Standing Rock on Sunday morning.

—The Cincinnati *Gazette* of Saturday says: The Storm No. 3 arrived from below yesterday, with three barges ore for Pittsburgh. She was to take in tow Val. Collin's purchase at bankrupt sale, the barge No. 13, with 250 tons ore, and proceed up the river with the four barges last evening. Pilots, Thomas Bobo and Capt. Cunningham.

—A Louisville dispatch under date of 8th says:—The total rise at the head of the falls is thirty-four inches. Work on the wing dam has been resumed. It is thought that the present rise will not make over three and a half feet on the bars below Evansville.

—The New Orleans boatmen have three of their friends among the numerous candidates for city offices, viz.: William Fagin, for Criminal Sheriff; Mat. Lagan, for Administrator of Water-works; and William Conway, for Administrator of Improvements.

—The Memphis *Avalanche* says: Captain Harry Harmstad, once a famed steamboat agent, sports his portly figure at Philadelphia, but expects to return here shortly, and re-enter the agency business."

—A Cairo dispatch says: Trouble has arisen about New Orleans rates, and shippers are patronizing the railroad. Barges are reported taking New Orleans freight at St. Louis at 15c, and the rate fixed for Cairo is 20c. The railroad takes it at 17½c, and is getting it.

—A private dispatch to his brother says W. Wagoner, a well-known mate, formerly of Cincinnati, was buried at Little Rock Sunday. His family reside there. He was in the navy during the war, and for a time filled the position of Receiving Master on the Clara Dolsen, at Cairo.

—An Evansville paper says: There is about nine hundred tons of pig iron on the landing awaiting the "coming of the waters." It was brought here from Cumberland River by the Shippers' Own and Silverthorn, and is destined for Cincinnati.

—A Memphis dispatch says: Deck hands and rousters on our local packets are getting $45 per month, except on the smaller dinkies, which pay about $10 less.

—David R. Carroll, mate of the Garry Owen, was buried from his late residence, in Algiers, on the 6th inst. New Orleans steamboats flags were at half mast.

—The Cherokee and the Vint Shinkle were both lying at the foot of French Island on Thursday morning, awaiting water. The river was swelling very slowly.

—The crews of the upper Missis[illegible] Tidal Wave and the Diamond Joe, [illegible] er wages the other day, demanding [illegible] an increase of $10.

—The sunken Anna is to be sold [illegible] Marshal on Monday, Oct. 19th. No [illegible] made to raise her.

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FAST LINE daily, at 6:26 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:45 a. m., Philadelphia 6:40 a. m., New York 9:45 a. m., Baltimore 6:45 a. m., Washington 8:42 a. m.

WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:06, 10:21, 11:46 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:06 and 11:31 p. m., Sunday 12:41 p. m.

BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:46 a. m., 5:01 and 9:21 p. m. Sunday 9:21 p. m.

WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 4:01 p. m. and 7:11 p. m.

JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.

MAIN LINE WESTWARD.

Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time:

Mail Train daily, except Monday	1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday	1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday	8:41 a. m.
Cincinnati Express daily	9:06 a. m.
Pacific Express daily	1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily	8:21 p. m.

Wall's Accommodation 6:36 and 8:21 a. m., 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m. Sunday 10:01 a. m.

Brinton Accommodation 7:31 and 9:01 a. m., 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.

Wilkinsburg Accommodation 5:11 p. m. and 9:21 p. m.

Johnstown Accommodation 10:36 a. m.

WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.

From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, city time.

MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler 6:36 a. m.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler 2:16 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM. 9:11 a. m. and 4:41 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM. 11:21 a. m., 6:21 and 10:51 p. m. Sunday, 12:51 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER, 3:21 p. m.

Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time:
Express, connecting from Butler 10:06 a. m.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler 5:41 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation 8:11 a. m. and 1:51 p. m.
Springdale Accom. 6:51 a. m. and 6:16 and 10:06 p. m. Sunday 9:51 a. m.
Market Train from Butler 9:01 a. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket office, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and the Union Depot.

D. M. BOYD, JR.,
General Passenger Agent.
FRANK THOMPSON, General Manager.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY, CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.—On and after MAY 31st, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	Pacific Ex	2:18am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex	10:58am
Erie & Asht. Ex.	6:28am	Chicago Ex	11:58am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail	6:53am	Erie & Ash. Ex.	2:38pm
Chicago Ex	9:58am	Chicago Mail	3:43pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:58pm	Cleveland Ex	3:53pm
Pacific Ex	2:12pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex	5:48pm
Wellsville Ex	4:28pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex.	6:08pm
Erie & War Ex.	4:38pm	Erie & Ash. Ex.	11:28pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	8:38am	Leetsdale Ac.	6:53am
Leetsdale Ac.	10:23am	Leetsdale Ac.	7:43am
Leetsdale Ac.	12:08pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:13am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:13pm	Enon Accom.	8:18am
Enon Accom.	2:48pm	Sharps. & As. Ac.	12:53pm
Leetsdale Ac.	5:23pm	Leetsdale Ac.	12:52pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:23pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	1:23pm
Leetsdale Ac.	8:28pm	Leetsdale Ac.	4:28pm
Leetsdale Ac.	10:58pm	Leetsdale Ac.	7:33pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:43pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Pacific Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.

F. R. MEYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. M. McCULLOUGH, General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD.—On and after THURSDAY, Oct. 8th, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Accom.	6:40am	Hulton Ac.	6:30am
Day Ex.	7:50am	Night Express	7:25am
Kittanning Ac.	11:30am	Soda Works Ac	8:30am
Oil City Ex.	2:40pm	Kittanning Ac.	9:50am
Kittanning Ac.	4:40pm	Oil City Ex.	2:20pm
Hulton Ac.	5:55pm	Kittanning Ac.	5:40pm
Night Ex.	8:25pm	Day Express	6:15pm
Hulton Ac	10:50pm	Hulton Ac.	7:20pm

Day Express daily to Corry; on Sundays to Oily City only. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Day Express connects at Red Bank for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport and all points northeast.

Church Train leaves Soda Works at 8:32 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:23 p. m., stopping at all stations.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on Night Express between Pittsburgh and Mayville.

Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company, 78 Fifth avenue, for baggage to be checked from hotels or residences to destination.

Ticket office, No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.

J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Superintendent.
THOS. M. KING, Assistant Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY.

On and after MONDAY, Oct. 12, 1874, and until further notice, Trains will leave and arrive at Depot, 226 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:10am	Homestead Ac.	7:00am
Monongahela Ac	11:15am	Through Mail	8:30am
Fast Line	3:55pm	Fast Line	10:40am
Homestead Ac.	6:15pm	Pittsburgh Ac.	6:05pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.

Special Steamer to and from Brownsville connects with fast Trains at Monongahela City, as follows: Leave Brownsville daily (except Sunday) at 5:00 a. m. and 12:30 p. m., connecting to arrive at Pittsburgh at 10:40 a. m. and 6:05 p. m. Returning trains, leave Pittsburgh at 6:10 a. m., and 3:55 p. m., connecting to arrive at Brownsville at 11:45 [illegible]

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PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILWAY, (Pittsburgh, Washington & Baltimore "Short Line.")—CHANGE OF TIME—SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.—On and after SUNDAY, May 10th, 1874, trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water Sts., as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Local Mail	6:10am	McKeesport Ac	6:40am
Through Mail	7:00am	McKeesport Ac	7:25am
Mixed Way	9:30am	W. Newton Ac.	8:20am
McKeesport Ac	11:00am	Through Ex.	8:45am
McKeesport Ac	2:35pm	Connellsville Ac	10:40am
Connellsville Ac	3:35pm	McKeesport Ac	12:00pm
McKeesport Ac	4:30pm	McKeesport Ac	2:00pm
W. Newton Ac	5:10pm	McKeesport Ac	4:50pm
McKeesport Ac	6:20pm	Uniontown Ac.	6:15pm
Through Ex.	8:00pm	McKeesport Ac	7:40pm
McKeesport Ac	11:00pm	Through Mail	8:25pm
W. Newton ChT	12:45pm	W. Newton ChT	10:05am

Mail and Accommodation trains daily, except Sunday. Express train daily. Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars.

Save 75 miles travel. Washington City, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and all points East. General Ticket Office, 43 Fifth avenue.

SAMUEL C. HOUGH,
General Passenger Agent.
E. K. HYNDMAN,
General Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. (Pan Handle Route.)

On and after JUNE 28, 1874, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh time, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	McDonald Ac.	6:53am
Columbus Mail	7:13am	Washington Ac.	8:03am
Washington Ac.	8:33am	Steubenville Ac.	9:38am
Pacific Express	9:38am	Cincinnati Ex.	7:08am
McDonald Ac.	10:43am	McDonald Ac.	2:03pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13pm	Washington Ac.	3:53pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail	5:23pm
Washington Ac.	5:03pm	Fast Line	5:58pm
McDonald Ac.	6:13pm	Southern Ex.	12:14am
Sunday Church	12:48pm	Sunday Church	10:03am

Fast Line and Pittsburgh Express leave daily.
Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
All other trains will run daily, except Sundays.
Sleeping Cars without change to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis.

W. L. O'BRIEN,
Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.
S. M. FELTON, Gen. Supt.

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CONNELLSVILLE R. R. DEPOT,
PITTSBURGH, PA.
Best Family Coal, Nut Coal and Slack always on hand.
Orders left at J. S. Porter's, 41 West Diamond street, corner Ohio, Allegheny, or at James Patterson's, 1299 Penn avenue, Pittsburgh, will receive prompt attention.

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HOME NEWS.

A Match Pacing Race at McKees Rocks.

On Saturday afternoon a match pacing race took place between Defiance and Sorrel Jim, best two in three in harness. Defiance won in two straight heats. Time, 2:28 3-4, 2:27. This horse is a celebrated California pacer, and already has a record of 2:17. He is said to be very promising.

Attention.

The attention of Republicans is called to an advertisement in another column, requesting that the names of active members of the party, from every election district in the county, be at once sent to Wm. H. Denniston, Chairman of the Vigilance Committee, of the County Executive Committee, in order that men may be appointed for vigilance duty.

Captured in the Act.

On Saturday evening two men named Robert Matthews and Thomas Dempsey entered an auction store on Federal street, near Lacock street, Allegheny, and Dempsey was observed stealing a set of shirt studs. He and Matthews were at once collared and handed over to Officer Geary, who locked them up. They will have a hearing to-day before Mayor Fleming.

Frisky Mules.

Yesterday afternoon two mules attached to a Pleasant Valley railway car got loose from the car on North avenue and ran off down to Federal street, Allegheny, where they were met by another car and stopped. One of the passengers of the car volunteered to ride them back to the other car, and mounted on the back of one of them. He had hardly seated himself until the mule sent him into the gutter headforemost. The mules were led back after that, gently.

An Unfortunate Speculation.

On Saturday night a man who gave his name as Bernard Graff, was arrested in Allegheny, on a charge of vagrancy and drunkenness. Yesterday morning on his appearance before Mayor Fleming, he stated that he had come from Cleveland, and was in search of work, he had spent the last money he had for a revolver. His Honor stated that he didn't think that was the right way to spend his money when he was so hard up, and he didn't think the revolver was intended for any good, so he gave him ninety days to the Work House.

Church Dedication.

St. John's Lutheran Church, at Homestead, on the P. V. & C. R. R., was dedicated yesterday afternoon. The ceremonies were conducted by Rev. Mr. Laird, pastor of the Ninth street Lutheran church, assisted by Rev. J. K. Melhorn, of Grace church, South Side. The audience was very large, three car loads being present from this city, and a great many from the surrounding country. The new building, which is a neat frame, was projected by and erected under the supervision and direction of Mr. Melhorn, and cost $4,500.

Coroners Inquest.

Yesterday morning the Coroner was called to go out to Wilkins township, to hold an inquest on the body of George Fralich. It appears that he retired on Saturday evening in his usual health, having spent the time just before going to bed in singing and enjoying himself generally. He was found dead the next morning in his bed. The Coroners jury rendered a verdict of heart disease. Deceased was a German single twenty-five years of age, had been in this country two years and a half, was a coal miner by trade and worked for the New York and Cleveland Coal Co.

County Balance Sheet.

The monthly balance sheet of Controller Warner shows the profit and loss in the various county offices, for the past month to be as follows:

Gain in Sheriff's office	$ 647 02
Gain in Prothonotary's office	1,000 05
Gain in Recorder's office	346 92
Total gains	$ 1,993 99
Loss in Clerk of Court's office	$ 74 19
Loss in Coroner's office	25 81
Total loss	$ 100 10
Net gain to the county	$ 1,093 89

Local Preachers Convention.

The prospects are that a goodly number of delegates from this city will attend the National Local Preachers Association, which commences its session in Baltimore next Saturday. To accommodate those who wish to attend, arrangements have been made for excursion tickets; but no excursion ticket can be purchased in this city, or at any point on the railroad without an order authorizing the ticket agent to sell it. All local preachers and others desiring to attend the Convention will be supplied with orders by addressing W. H. Kineaid, Lock Box 367, Pittsburgh, or calling upon him. Orders will also be at the Methodist Book Depository, 129 Smithfield street, Pittsburgh.

The Hippodrome.

The visit of Barnum's great Roman Hippodrome to this city is a thing of the past, as it left for Cincinnati on Saturday night, after the closing performance, where it will open to-morrow evening. The concluding entertainments were up to the usual standard, and we can heartily recommend the Hippodrome to all lovers of pleasure wherever it may stop, as a place where a few hours may be spent with great pleasure. On Saturday afternoon 136 dozen chairs used in the Hippodrome were sold by Mr. W. M. Claney, who auctioned them off to Mr. Robert Fernly for $2.60 per dozen. The board seats were sold to Mr. James Rend, for the sum of $450, and they cost, the lumber and the cost of putting them up, just $2,800, so there was not much profit in that sale.

Pickpocket Arrested.

Last evening about seven o'clock a young man named Frank Gabby, while standing at the corner of Ohio and Federal streets, Allegheny, with several other young men, he felt some persons drawing his pocketbook from his pocket and turned in time to catch the man and attempted to prevent him from escaping. During the scuffle Detective Scott came up and Gabby told him what was the matter, whereupon he arrested the pickpocket and started with him to the lock-up. As they were crossing the Diamond he dropped the stolen pocketbook, but the officer detected him in the act and picked it up. He gave his name as Wm. Crawford, and was locked up for hearing to-day. The pocketbook contained $21 and was restored to its owner.

Stopped in the Lockup.

Last evening two young men, laboring under the influence of whisky, drove along Preble avenue, Allegheny, at a reckless pace, holloaing and making a noise. They defied the police to catch them, but Lieut. Merriman leaped into the buggy and officer McCurry caught their horse by the head. Both young men stopped over night in the lockup, where they gave their names as Peter Barry and Wm. Sroder. They will have a hearing to-day. Their horse was almost driven to death, and when taken to McChesney's livery stable it had to be bandaged and covered. The animal belongs to Burns, O'Neil & Co, on Sixth avenue. The agent of the society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, who is now in the city, might find a case here for his attention.

The Government Site.

On Saturday the appeal of Mr. Armstrong from the report of the Board of Viewers, in condemnation of the Fourth avenue site for Government buildings, came up for argument in the Court of Common Pleas. District Attorney Reed and George P. Hamilton, Esq., appeared on behalf of the Government, and Messrs. Watson, Stoner and Over for the exceptant.

The exceptions were filed by William Armstrong, and set forth that the act approved April 2d, 1873, is unconstitutional and void in that it empowers the United States to condemn and take the exceptant's property without his consent. 2d. Because no provision is made for the payment of the damages assessed before the taking of the property. 3d. Because said act does not authorize the condemnation of more than one site for said public buildings, and the authority of the viewers in the above proceeding has been exhausted by a previous condemnation.

The defence was that the exceptions had been filed to late and that they were of no avail.

The Court after the argument took charge of the papers.

Safe Arrival of the Lady Voyagers.

The ladies who accompanied Prof. Donaldson and Mr. D. S. Thomas on a balloon trip last Friday afternoon, arrived in the city the following day, shortly before 2 o'clock. It has been ascertained that they traveled in a north westerly direction from the time of their departure. At six o'clock they made a landing at a point nine miles from Pittsburgh and three miles from Tallycavy. Here they were nine miles from the railroad, at Etna station. They took supper at this place, and were overtaken by a brother of Miss DeNight and another gentleman in a carriage, who took Miss DeNight and Miss York back to the city. In about bn hour the rest of the party made another ascension. Some parties here put in a dog, which was not noticed until after the party had gone a considerable distance skyward. The balloonists sailed on until midnight, when a landing was made twenty-five miles from the city, in Cranberry township, Butler county, near Plains church. They were entertained for the night at the residence of Rev. Mr. Risher, the pastor of the Plai[illegible] church. On Saturday morning they le[illegible] the city in a wagon, where they arr[illegible] the time above stated.

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THE COURTS.

SATURDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

United States District Court.

(Before Judge McCandless.)

George E Bell, Allegheny, bankrupt. Petition for the adjudication in bankruptcy of himself and W. F. Hackman, and Henry Kleiman. On motion of John F. Edmundson an order was made on the latter named defendants to show cause why they should not be adjudged bankrupts. Application was also made for an injunction and a restraining order against certain execution creditors was issued.

A. G. Fry, Cambria county, bankrupt. Fry, Duerr & Co., Cambria county, bankrupts. Report approved directing the payment of compensation to the solicitor, and $219.65 to S. Ewart & Co., and S. H. Baird, for money expended in said proceedings.

Jonathan Birch, Clarion county, bankrupt. Petition for discharge presented and order made for final examination before Register Rogers.

Matthias, Owens & Co., city, bankrupts. On motion of Mr. Shiras, an order was made giving the assignee additional power with reference to the valuation of certain stocks, bonds, &c., held by Springer Harbaugh, and authorizing a demand from Geo. W. Cass and George Wood, of the sums advanced for them respectively and to enforce said demand by suit.

Wellington Yeager, Columbia, bankrupt. Petition of Mayberry G. Hughes, for the liquidation of certain leins. Referred to Register Overton.

James W. Porter, Fayette county, bankrupt. On motion of S. C. Schoyer, Esq., an order was made for the sale of certain real estate.

Thomas Taubman, Northumberland county, bankrupt. Order made for the second general meeting of the creditors.

Albert G. Fry, Ebensburg, bankrupt. The report allowing compensation to the solicitor was approved.

Fry, Duerr & Co., Ebensburgh, bankrupt. Reports confirmed allowing compensation to solicitor and paying George Huntley $245 51, for monies expended in these proceedings.

TRIAL LIST FOR OCTOBER.

The following is trial list for the October term of the United States District Court:

BILLS OF INDICTMENT.

Bills of indictment for criminal offenses have been found against the following persons:

David D. Williams, 2; Stephen Payne, George Groves, Stephen Payne et al., David Meik, Andrew Henderson, Christian Baurline, Jacob Doerr, Frederick Hahn, Benj. Hook et al., Christian Meyer, Jr., John Miller, Frederick Younger, Reuben Lesch alias &c., 4; Michael Divinney, Charles Guyer, Jesse E. Porter, Samuel M. McLain, Austin McCain et al., Eli A. Mardis, Eli Mardis, Frederick Boddie, Perry Johnson 2, Alfred D. Reno, John Mardis, John McKinley, R. E. Devoe, James Johnston, Frederick Jedico, James Robertson et al., John H. Stewart, John Johnson, Scott Mardis, John H. Stewart 2, Charles H. Harris, Robert E. Devore, Nellie Durant, George A. Bloom, George Hartle.

CIVIL CASES.

The civil cases are as follows: The U. S. against Distillery of Samuel Mason & Co., Edward O'Hare, James O'Hare et al., J. Love & Co., M. H. Mills et al., Samuel Bell, P. C. and St. L. R. R., 2, One barrel of whisky owned by Moss & Fox, One package of rectified whisky owned by Fernberger & Bro, Isaac M. Gray et al., Charles H. Volk, Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R. Co., Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R. Co., 3, One barrel of whisky claimed by Reinstrom & Co., Drugs, &c., owned by T. Ollendorf & Co., Frederick Hahn, Whisky of Hook & Wise, The wine et al. owned by Fred. Hahn, Robert L. Brown et al., Pittsburgh & Connellsville R. R. Co., The Allegheny Valley R. R. Co., 2, Brewery et al. of John A. Stemmer, Brewery et al. of Henry Hansman, Brewery et al. Geo. Gemengen, 119 barrels of whisky owned by Wm. Jennings and found in the posession of James McKay, John Keatley et al., 2; Cigars et al. of Wm. Walters, Samuel B. Wilson, administrator of estate of A. Robertson et al., 83 acres of land, distillery, &c., of D. Young, land claimed by James and Sarah Neil, A. S. Palmer and R. R. Weise, sureties of and impleaded with F. J. Truesdale, John M. Phillips, owner and master of steamboat "L. C. McCormick," 3, James Taylor et al., owners of steamboat "Kate Dickson."

CASES AT ISSUE IN BANKRUPTCY.

Roderick F. Clow vs. The Derby Coal Co; Othello Sneed Executor of Martha Summerville vs. Ferdinand Marx; C. T Ames vs. Roberts Run Coal Co.; Daniel B. Allen vs. Brady's Bend Iron Co.; Weiler & Ellis vs. Albert Stehle; Fisher, Sutphin & Co. vs. W. L. Harvey; Chales W. Robb vs. Joshua Blumer; Messimer & Backus vs. James M. Lambing; W. G. Johnston trust, &c. et al. vs. Blackmore & Nelson; M. Munhall & Co. vs. John Sheedy; Edward House vs. Blackmore & Nelson; Henry G. Bell & Co. James Bryden & Sons; Henry Frank vs. A. Inskeep & Co.; Amos Tenney et al vs. The Brady's Bend Iron Co.; Fourth National Bank of Pittsburgh vs. Christopher L. Graff; Thomas W. Loughrey vs. Charles Walters; L. Bamberger & Co. & F. D. Hamilton & Co.; Cohen & Schloss vs. Ellis Harris; J. B. Sneathen & Co. et al. vs. Staib & Co.; Morris & Lewis vs. S. Frankenstein; Morris A. Teynberg vs. Abram Simon; Cornell & Amerman vs. D. Harris & Bro.; Evans, Dallas & Gilmore vs. George W. Ebert & Jacob Poe, owners of the s. b. "Mollie Ebert;" Mills, Johnson & Co. vs. Charles E. Davidson & Co.; J. L. Patterson & Co. vs. Joseph Williamson; James McKibben vs. Moyes, Gardner & Co.; Butler, McCarty & Co. vs. Hiram W. Junkin; Dawson & Bailey vs. Collins, Pool & Co; Frederick W. Heidekoper vs. A. H. Bronson; Richard A. Casanova vs. The Derby Coal Company; O. A. Childs & Co. vs. Collins, Pool & Co.; E. P. Jones, trustee, &c. vs. A. Guskeep & Co.; Morris McCue vs. The Penn Enameling Co.; Wm. Pore vs. The Mahoning Iron Co.; John Jones vs Levi Jones; John D. Strouse, trust, &c. vs. Wm. Anshutz & Co.; E. P. Jones, trust, &c. vs. Allegheny Valley R. R. Co.; J. T. Stockdale, trust, &c. Emma A. Sproat; Groves & Shoemaker vs. Wm. J. McManigal; Wm. A. Buell vs. A. H. Cook; Dilworth Bros et al. vs. G. M. Medsker; Charles H. Schadt et al. vs. Charles Ochs; W. A. Miller et al. vs. B. F. Baer.

SUITS BY ASSIGNEES.

J. M. Kennedy, assignee, &c., vs. James Gallagher; John H. Bailey, assignee, &c., vs. Blythe & Dietrich; Wm. J. Radcliff, assignee, &c., vs. David Hostetter. W. S. Purviance, assignee, &c., vs. Henry Harley; J. H. Baldwin et al., assignee, &c., vs. the Mayor, Aldermen and citizens of Allegheny; Robert McKinley, assignee, &c., vs. James A. Shallenberger; John McDonald, assignee, &c., vs. John Sweeny; John McDonald, assignee, &c., vs. H. R. Fullerton; Jos. H. Boreland, assignee, &c., vs. Ayers Lynch; Wm. S. Bryson, assignee, &c., vs. Wilton H. Kline; Wm. S. Bryson, assignee, &c., vs. Samuel Hazlett; Wm. S. Bryson, assignee, &c., vs. Wm. Hornish.

CASES IN EQUITY.

W. C. Robinson et al., assignee, &c., vs. J. & H. Phillips; D. C. Oyster, assignee, &c., vs. Abel Gresh et al.

State Supreme Court.

Chief Justice Agnew presiding.

Robert B. Petty, on motion of R. B. Carnahan, Esq., and Morton Hunter and Joseph Forsyth, on motion of M. W. Acheson, Esq., were admitted and duly qualified to practice in this Court.

In the case of Moore vs. Wenzell et al., a judgment of non pros. was entered.

Pittsburgh Petroleum Oil Company vs. Clark. Argued by John Barton, Esq., for the plaintiff in error and M. W. Acheson, Esq., contra.

McElhenney vs. Hope et al. Argued by Jno. Large, Esq., for plaintiff in error. Court declined to hear M. W. Acheson, Esq., the opposing counsel.

Adams et al. vs. Pittsburgh Insurance Company. Argued by M. W. Acheson, Esq., for plaintiff in error and A. M. Brown, Esq., contra.

Middelton vs. Beardall et al. Argued by John Barton, Esq., for plaintiff in error and William Reardon Contra.

Court adjourned at twelve o'clock for consultation.

Criminal Court.

(Before Judge Sterrett.)

The case of the Commonwealth vs. George E. McGowan, charged with perjury, in falsely swearing as to his pecuniary responsibility in going bail for Donovan et al., was not finished on Friday, and will be resumed to-day.

SENTENCE DAY.

Last Saturday was sentence day and the following persons had the penalty of the law meted out to them according to there several crimes.

James Crogin, who had been tried and found guilty of larceny, got sixty days to the Work House.

William McClusky, *alias* Buck McClusky, convicted with the larceny of a revolver valued at seven dollars, a pen knife worth one dollar and two English sovereigns valued at five dollars each, was sent to the Work House six months.

Henry Kettner and William Tramp, found guilty of felonious assault and battery were sentenced to the Work House for three months each.

Annie Martin, a colored woman, who had been tried on a charge of adultery and found guilty, also went to the Work House for eight months.

G. W. Hetherton was next brought in. He had been found guilty of larceny. The hair store of Isabella Morrison had been entered and ladies' curls and switches to the value of one hundred dollars stolen. One of the switches was found on Hetherton, which he said he had purchased of some one else. There is s[illegible]he affair, so the Judge gave him a light sentence—ten days to jail.

John Fritz, convicted of felonious assault and battery upon the person of T[illegible] Ryan, was sentenced t[illegible] for three years.

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ground of adultery. A subpœna was awarded.

In the case of Mary Eislar vs. Andrew Eislar, a final decree was made.

Anna Margaret Haug filed a petition for a divorce from her husband, John C. Haug, alleging as grounds, that he has offered indignities to her person, and that he has been guilty of adultery. A subpœna was awarded.

In the divorce case of Mary F. Leonard vs. Willard Leonard, a rule was issued on defendant to show cause why an attachment should not issue against him.

When John H. Bailey, Esq., Receiver of the Nation Trust Company, filed his report he asked for additional powers in regard to the distribution of money in his hands, belonging to the company. The following order was made:

And now, October 10th, it appearing to the Court from the report of John H. Bailey, Receiver, filed in this case, that there is a large sum of money in his hands properly belonging to the creditors of the said Nation Trust Company, on motion of Hampton & Dalzell, attorneys for the Trustees of the Nation Trust Company, the power of said John H. Bailey, Receiver, is hereby enlarged so as to authorize him to distribute and pay out the funds in his hands or that may hereafter come into his hands as Receiver, among the various creditors of said Nation Trust Company, with the same powers and authority as an auditor would have in like cases.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of Adolph Oberheldman, the bond of Fredrick E. Geist, assignee to the sum of $256,000 with Henry White, John F. Schroeker, Henry Freese and Jacob Keebler, as sureties, was approved and filed.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of R. C. Snowden, the bond of J. P. Weddell, the assignee, in the sum of $2,000, was approved and filed.

In the matter of the application of the Central Reformed Presbyterian Church, of Allegheny, for a charter of incorporation, the charter was granted as prayed for.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of John Cuthbert to Chas. Z. F. Rott, on petition presented, G. W. Coffin and Wm. Cavatt were appointed appraisers.

A petition was filed by the School Directors of the Chartiers township, for estimating and determining the damages sustained by the taking of James H. Bell's land for a school house, and a Board of Viewers was appointed by the Court.

In the case of Sebastian Zang vs. the Friendship Building and Loan Association, a motion was made by plaintiff for a new trial.

Trial List for To-Day.

Gunber vs. Wells, Jr.
Same vs. Wells, Jr.
Baughman vs. Ward.
Muder vs. Kleber & Bro.
Addy vs. Stone.
Sackett & Co. vs. Fecke et. al.
Trimble et al. vs. Dickson et al.
Dufner vs. Redinger et al.
Kimberlin vs. Stone.
Schwartz vs. Hanchard et. al.
Hays vs. Long.
Manchester vs. Long.
Coyle vs. Einstein.
VanHorn vs. Stoner.
Peikert vs. Coroler et. al.

THE LAST TRIBUTE.

The Funeral Services Over the Late Dr. Thomas M. Eddy.

The late Rev. Dr. Thomas M. Eddy who died in New York last week was well known and thoroughly appreciated in Pittsburgh, where he has appeared in the pulpit and on the platform. Dr. Eddy was one of the missionary Secretaries of the M. E. church—a position second only to the Episcopal office—and the general esteem in which he was held, was attested at the funeral obsequies which took place in New York on Friday at St. Paul's church. Previous to the public services the managers of the Missionary Society and many clergymen assembled at the residence of the deceased, No. 316 West Twenty-eighth street, from which, after a brief and simple prayer by Dr. Sims, they advanced in procession to the church. Dr. O. H. Tiffany, of the Metropolitan church, Washington, D. C., of which Dr. Eddy was formerly pastor, led the procession up the aisle, reading appropriate passages of Scripture. Next came the casket containing the remains of the deceased, and last of the clergymen. During the advance up the aisle the sad funeral march from "Don Sebastian" was played by the organist, and, after all were seated, the choir chanted a beautiful and appropriate anthem which was a great favorite of Dr. Eddy while he was living, and two verses of which he repeated only a very short time before his death. The first verse was as follows:

> "Beyond the weeping and the smiling
> I shall be soon;
> Beyond the waking and the sleeping,
> Beyond the sowing and the reaping,
> I shall be soon;
> Love, rest, and home, sweet hope,
> Lord, tarry not, but come."

At its conclusion Rev. Dr. Curry read from the Bible, and Rev. Dr. Fletcher announced the hymn beginning, "I would not live away," which was sung by both choir and congregation to the old tune of "Frederickton." Following this, a prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Chapman, and a second portion of Scripture was read by Rev. Dr. Crooks. Bishop Janes then made an address eulogistic of the deceased, characterizing him as "most eminent as a preacher—intellectual, scholarly, simple." He closed with an account prepared by Mr. Clinton B. Fisk, who was with Dr. Eddy at the time, of the last few days of the deceased pastor's life. "His chief unwillingness to die, Mr. Eddy had then said, was because of the work which he saw that ought to be done. He knew how to work and was anxious to, so it seemed hard that after he had passed away so many idlers would be left alive. When it was certain that his last hours were at hand, the dying man and his family partook of the communion. Almost his last words were in expression of the wish that the work of the Missionary Society might be prosecuted with vigor. Finally after he could no longer speak, he was asked if he saw the way clear and felt no fear, to raise his right hand. He did so, and held it in the air until his pulse beat low."

Other addresses were made by Rev. Dr. Phillips Schaff and Bishop Simpson in similar spirit, and after the singing of a hymn, commencing "He's gone, the spotless soul is gone," opportunity was given to all friends to pass by the casket, after which the remains were removed to the Second-street Cemetery, where they will be placed in a vault until their final removal to Chicago.

The church was crowded in every part, and the services were at all times very impressive and often most affecting. The pulpit was veiled in mourning and surrounded with beautiful flowers arranged in appropriate forms. In front of the desk was a very large floral cross, around which were grouped smaller crosses, an anchor, a crown surrounded with a cross, and several large bouquets. Among the flowers was one bouquet of white, upon the face of which was wrought in flowers of deeper color the Greek characters, Phi Gamma Delta, denoting the College Society, of which Dr. Eddy was a member. These flowers were presented by the present members of the society, of which a large delegation was present to pay the last tribute of respect and affection to one with whom they were thus connected. Among those present in the congregation were Rev. Dr. Chadbourne, pastor of St. Paul's, and Rev. Drs. Phillips, Landon, Mirwin, Sing, Hurst, Roche, True and Miley, together with the members of the Missionary Society, and many of the pastors of the various churches in New York and vicinity.

FINANCIAL.

City Tax Collections—Bonds Approved—A Dissatisfied Revisor Paid.

The Finance Committee held a special meeting on Saturday afternoon in the office of Controller Snodgrass. The following report from a sub-committee, appointed at a previous meeting, was read and adopted:

GENTLEMEN:—Your sub-committee, appointed at last meeting, to which was referred the resolution offered by Dr. McCandless, beg leave to report the adoption of the following by them, which they respectfully refer to you with an affirmative recommendation:

WHEREAS, The tax duplicates for the present year, with few exceptions, are now in the hands of the tax collectors whose bonds have been approved under regulations prescribed by the Finance Committee for the year 1873. Therefore

Resolved, That we recommend to the Finance Committee the re-enactment of the resolutions adopted last year regarding per centage to be allowed the several tax collectors; and we do further recommend that for future years in any of the wards in which collectors are now allowed ten per cent. where the total amount of the duplicate is less than $5,000, that ten per cent. be allowed for the collection of personal tax and five per cent. for taxes on real estate, business and water rent.

Under this action of the committee the collectors from the First to the Twelfth wards inclusive, and the Fifteenth, Sixteenth and Seventeenth wards will receive but five per cent., while all the others be allowed the maximum, ten per cent.

Very respectfully,
DAVID AIKEN,
J. P. CUNNINGHAM.

The bonds of the following tax collectors, in the amounts designated, were approved:

Jno. Douglass	$ 3,740
William Bond	9,500
C. Patterson	11,300
Andrew B. Higgins	31,000
Robert M. P. Dalzell	3,400
Christ. Brochmer	5,783
Jno. W. Jones	26,383
Wm. Wiley	23,800
Geo. Trautman	2,000

A number of applications from business firms for refunding of over-paid taxes were examined and referred to the Controller in connection with the City Solicitor. A warrant
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[illegible] for $126.70 for services rendered in
[illegible]th the Board of Revisors.
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THE OIL REFINERS' ORDINANCE.

Pittsburgh's Interest in It—The Policy Involved—The Development of Our Commercial and Manufacturing Prosperity.

The general readiness of our Councils to so legislate as to promote the welfare of the city has been too frequently attested for it to be doubted that their desire is to see Pittsburgh prospered, in every legitimate way, until in population and financial strength it shall be second to no city in the West. But it cannot be expected that all phases of this question will be so accurately understood by all the members of Council as that, without explanation, the full bearing of every new proposition will be fully understood. Therefore, as the ordinance which passed the Common Council last Monday, and which has passed second reading in the Select branch, will come up for final passage, it is proper that a broad statement should be made of the policy involved in the bill, and a *resume* made of facts and figures, heretofore given, but which bear upon and illustrate this policy.

The theory has been advanced by interested parties that Pittsburgh is "too near the East and too far from the West" to be entitled to the special mercies of railroad corporations. Therefore, while Cincinnati, Cleveland, St. Louis and Chicago have been favored by the railroads, Pittsburgh has been uniformly discriminated against. What is the result? Simply this: Each of the cities mentioned, while less favorably situated than Pittsburgh, have outstripped her in population, growth, wealth, and all that is called enterprise. Pittsburgh far outstrips the Western cities in natural advantages, but is so discriminated against that the balance is turned against her. This is a strong assertion; but let us prove it. Cincinnati carries every pound of her cheapest coal from the pools above this city, pays lockage, towage, and all the incidental expenses, and yet competes with us in our manufactures. St. Louis, nearly a thousand miles west of us, competes with us, although her fuel comes from here, or equivalent points. The trade of Chicago is enormous, yet nearly every fire is lighted with Pittsburgh coal. We submit whether there is not something radically wrong in the system that permits this to be done? If so, that wrong is perpetrated against the prosperity of Pittsburgh. If it be said, the railroads certainly consider Pittsburgh, and will do nothing to her detriment, we ask how it was that the creditors of the Allegheny Valley Railroad were compelled into such a fight to have their claims considered?

This Pipe Line ordinance represents the essence of a new policy which, if intelligently and firmly adopted, will enable Pittsburgh to rapidly assume its legitimate position as the first Western city, in population, business and wealth. This policy simply consists in invoking the competition of rival railroad lines. It will do no injury to either road,—on the contrary will benefit both, while it will rapidly develop the wealth of our city. True, their rates will be lower, and their profits on a given amount of business will be lessened; but the volume of business will be increased, and thus they will make more in the aggregate. The firm and vigorous contest of our iron men, in demanding and enforcing a settlement of their claims against the Allegheny Valley road, was a first step toward independence of railroad domination,—this action of our refiners is a broader one,—but represents the same idea—the right treatment of Pittsburgh by the railroads. Nor will their triumph injure the Allegheny Valley road, and thus depreciate the value of the income bonds. On the contrary, the refining trade will so rapidly increase, that the Valley road will do a larger business than now, and be all the more certain of paying these bonds. The day has come for Pittsburgh to take a new departure, and cease to be a mere tender on Western cities. She owes it to herself to build up her own trade, to extend her own borders. And this pipe line will be a vigorous step in that direction. The day will come when every member of Council who voted for this ordinance will be proud of that vote.

Let us also say that our citizens generally are interested in this subject, and that our iron men are involved in a very particular manner. Have any of these noticed that the arrangement that discriminates so strongly against our Refiners, and which if there were no remedy against it, would crush our refining interests, and thus utterly destroy an important trade of the Allegheny Valley road, were made *since* the agreement to receive its income bonds was entered into? Have they inquired into the possible reasons for this action? If the trade of the Allegheny Valley road is lessened, while the Empire Transportation Company, in which certain Pennsylvania Railroad officials are possibly interested, gains largely in trade, *who suffer*, and *who gain*? Suppose on the one hand, the value of the income bonds were thus reduced, so as to be bought up cheaply? Suppose, while this were being done, the interested company were prospering? Take these inquiries and look at recent facts and dates? Remember another thing. The Empire Transportation Company can carry oil where there are *competing lines*. Suppose Pittsburgh were made a competing point, thus opening the way for it to come here; and suppose it could be shown to those interested in that line that they could make more money by coming here? What would be the result? and would not Allegheny Valley share in the profits? In brief, our iron men are as deeply interested in this particular contest as they were in that through which they so triumphantly passed very recently. *Pittsburgh, and not the railroads, must dominate the influences which affect her prosperity.* This is the issue that is in the Refiners' Ordinance before Select Council to-day.

As to the advantages of this policy of protecting home industry and developing our home resources, we have already given facts which may be summarized. The product of crude petroleum, in this State, from September, 1873, to September, 1874, was, in round numbers, 11,000,000 barrels. Of this, but one-sixth is refined in Pittsburgh, notwithstanding the fact that we are but thirty miles distant from the oil territory, while Cleveland is two hundred miles away. Were Pittsburgh to have its proper proportion of this trade, we would refine at least two-thirds of the whole production, which would cause to be expended in this city about $10,000,000 annually, which would be so distributed as to give *impetus* to several of our most important branches of industry. We do not have this trade simply because our refiners are discriminated against by the railroads. The Cleveland *Leader* boasted, a short time since, that the discriminations in its favor were 42 cents a barrel. This is enough to turn the trade against us. Yet so great is the difference in distance, between Pittsburgh and Cleveland, as regards the oil regions and the seaboard, that the extra transportation alone to and from Cleveland, as compared with Pittsburgh, would supply a fine profit. This distance aggregates 400 miles, which, at eight-tenths of a cent per ton per mile, would represent $32 profit for a ten ton car. Yet the railroads not only throw this away, but give Cleveland 42 cents a barrel advantage over Pittsburgh, irrespective of dtstance.

We have the means at command to stop all this. The Connellsville railroad is able to compete for this trade. This puts it in the power of Councils to stop this unjust discrimination. They have only to say to the Refiners,—lay down your pipes. Without cost to the city this will be done, and at once the spell will be broken which has held us down. Common Council acted promptly. All Pittsburgh is alive to this question. The Select Council has in its hands the prosperity or adversity of the city. We know that the interest in behalf of right action is very great, and do not doubt that Select Council will promptly concur in the vote of the Common branch.

FIRE ON THE SOUTH SIDE.

A Soap Factory Partially Burned.

Last Saturday morning about four o'clock a fire broke out in the soap factory of Strunz & Wetzell, a two story building on Bingham street, between Seventh and Eighth, South Side. An alarm was struck from box 127, when the department responded promptly and continued their exertions until the flames were extinguished. The inside of the lower and upper stories was almost entirely consumed, and what is left remaining is past all further use. The first floor was used for manufacturing purposes, and contained all the machinery, boxes, and a large quantity of soap. The machinery was but slightly damaged, the boxes burnt being past use, and what remains of the soap will have to be manufactured over again. The second floor was used for storing and was packed full of soap and candles which were damaged in a like manner. A large cellar underneath the whole building contained quantities of rosin and tallow, which was only damaged by water. The outside walls remain intact, the roof and windows being the only outside part destroyed.

The building is owned by the firm and is fully covered by insurance, as is also the stock and machinery, the total loss being estimated at $7,000; insured in the following companies, viz.: M. & M. Insurance Company, $5,000. Allemania, $5,000. Pittsburgh, $5,000, and Union, $5,000. Total $20,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following deeds were filed for record since our last report:

Thomas S. Linn et ux. to William Boyd, September 28, 1873; lot in the Fifth ward, Allegheny, 20x66 feet. Price........$900

William Boyd et ux. to Mary J. Sheriff and Henrietta Bortle, September 28, 1874; lot in Fifth ward, Allegheny, 20x66 feet. Price........$900

David E. Riley to Amanda Webb, October 5, 1874; tract of land in Franklin township, containing 25 acres and 21 perches. Price........$2,000

John Perchment et ux. to S. Jarvis Adams, June 10, 1874; lot in Twentieth ward, city, in Daniel Negley's plan, 6x130 feet 7 inches. Price........$260

Conrad Rack and wife to August Michalofski, June 20, 1874, lot in Conrad Rach's plan, Reserve sownship, 20x112 1-2 feet, with building. Price........$400.

Peter D. Perchment and wife to Martha E. Polls, August 6, 1874, lot in Twenty-first ward, city, in Mellon's plan of Homewood lots, 25 708-1000x124 feet, with buildings. Price........$1,000.

[illegible]omas A. Mellon and wife to Peter D. [illegible]erchment, August 5, 1874, irregular lot [illegible] Twenty-first ward, city, in Mellon's plan of Homewood lots. Price......$250.

$10 to $1,000 invested in Stocks and Gold pays 300 per cent. a month. Send for particulars. Tumbridge & Co., Bankers, Wall St., N. Y. d&S

VIEWERS' REPORT.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Camp street, from Herron avenue to Jefferson street.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the city of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1873, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Camp street, from Herron avenue to Jefferson street, in the city of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of City Engineer in the city of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Camp street, from Herron avenue to Jefferson street.

DAMAGES.

Mrs. Emma Herron	$ 79 69
J. Herron estate	350 00
Printing	26 00
	$ 455 69

BENEFITS.

City of Pittsburgh	$ 211 24
J. Herron estate	244 45
	$ 455 69

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS, | Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Morris street, from Charles street to property line of Jas. Gallagher.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street improvements in the City of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Morris street from Charles street to property line of Jas. Gallagher in the City of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a Plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 3rd day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer in the City of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Morris street, from Charles street to the property of James Gallagher.

Viewers' time	$11 25
Plan	5 31
Printing	26 20
	$42 76

BENEFITS.

Thos. Fitzjerold	$5 64
Daniel McCune	2 82
Eliza Davis	8 46
Louis Burkowitz	2 82
P. Caroline Croussen	2 82
Louis Burkowitz	3 05
Thomas Winslow	3 05
Louis Burkowitz	8 46
P. Conlin	2 82
W. M. Jones	2 82
	$42 76

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Albert street, from Charles street to its terminus, at edge of Cliff.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the City of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Albert street, from Charles street to its terminus at edge of Cliff, in the City of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act cocerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessement of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer in the City of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Albert street from Charles street to Bluff.

Viewers' time	$11 25
Plan	4 90
Printing	25 75
	$41 90

BENEFITS.

C. Collins	$10 27
J. Harris	10 27
J. Ridgley	13 04
—— Clark	8 32
	$41 90

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS, } Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Adelaide street, from Madison avenue to Iowa street.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the City of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, and authorized by an Ordinance passed on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1873, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Adelaide street, from Madison avenue to Iowa street, in the City of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 2d day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer, in the City of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Adelaide street, from Madison avenue to Iowa street.

DAMAGES.

Mrs. E. Herron	$174 00
Printing	25 98
	$199 98

BENEFITS.

City of Pittsburgh	$ 76 41
Margaret D. Friend	21 96
Children of Mary A. Burton	20 88
Eliza P. Sill	20 88
J. Herron estate	41 40
W. A. Herron	18 45
	$199 98

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Henry street, from Charles street to Bates street.

To the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned viewers of street improvements in the city of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Henry street, from Charles street to Bates street, in the city of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceeded in the manner and according to the directions of said act to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer, in the city of Pittsburgh, heard all the complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of viewers on the opening of Henry street from Charles to Bates.

Viewers' time	$ 11 25
Plan	5 00
Printing	26 65
	$ 42 90

BENEFITS.

Anderson & Woods	$ 12 00
Wm. Kelly	3 37
E. Conroy	1 62
T. Reddick	1 62
Louis Burkowitz	1 62
B. Ravel	1 62
H. Kelly	1 62
William Meichen	1 62
Wm. Stephen	1 62
McGraw	1 62
Thomas Scully	4 86
Linden Land Co.	9 71
	$ 42 90

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Iowa Street, from Herron avenue to Bellefield avenue.

To the Select and Common Councils of the City of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the City of Pittsbuegh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 15th day of December, A. D. 1873, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Iowa street, from Herron avenue to Bellefield avenue in the City of Pittsburgh, and make assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 2d of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer in the City of Pittsburgh, heard all the complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Iowa street, from Herron avenue to Bellefield.

Viewers' time	$22 50
Plan and notices	20 76
Printing	25 75
	$ 69 01

BENEFITS.

J. Herron, estate	$ 41 16
Eliza R. Sill	14 85
Mrs. Aspinwall	13 00
	$ 69 01

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Jefferson street, from Ridge avenue to Alpine street.

To the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the city of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by an Ordinance passed on the 13th day of October, A. D. 1873, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Jefferson street, from Ridge avenue to Alpine street, in the city of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly, entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the Supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 2d day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer, in the city of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages, for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respetively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Jefferson street from Ridge street to Alpine street.

DAMAGES.

Viewers' time	$22 50
Plan and notices	27 19
Printing	26 00
	$75 69

BENEFITS.

Roup estate	$17 82
C. A. Colton	20 70
Mrs. Aspinwall	2 70
J. Herron's estate	6 66
City of Pittsburgh	15 30
W. A. Herron	12 51
	$75 69

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Thirty-fourth street, from Carson street to Monongahela river.

To the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the city of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Session of Allegheny county, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 9th day of June, A. D. 1873, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Thirty-fourth street, from Carson street to Monongahela river in the city of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully reported:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a Plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1874, at the office of the Board of Viewers in the city of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and after full consideration thereof, do find that the follow in named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Viewers' report on the opening of Thirty-fourth street from Carson street to the Monongahela river.

EXPENSES.

Cost of plan and survey	$ 9 70
Printing ordinances and notices	15 00
Printing Viewers' Report	1 50
Viewers' time	15 00
Serving notices	2 00
	$43 20

BENEFITS.

John McClurg's heirs	$ 24 90
Robert Young	14 70
S. McIntosh	3 60
	$ 43 20

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the opening of Charles street, from Niagara street to Henry street.

To the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the City of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, and authorized by an ordinance passed on the 13th day of April, A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the opening of Charles street, from Niagara street to Henry street, in the City of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and Sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved tht 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said Act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said Act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages; and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said impeovement, and caused a Plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said Act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 3d day of July, A. D. 1874, at the office of the City Engineer, in the City of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Report of Viewers on the opening of Charles street, from Henry to Morgan.

Viewers' time	$11 25
Plan	9 32
Printing	27 71
	$48 28

BENEFITS.

Patrick Welsh	$ 3 62
William Nimick	1 74
William Emmett	1 74
M. Donahue	1 74
M. Milvaney	1 74
J. J. Harper	1 74
John White	1 74
A. H. Dunn	1 74
George Clemins	1 74
Louis Burkowitz	3 62
Evan Davis	3 63
E. Elsey	7 25
Kleber Brothers	9 43
Louis Berkowitz	4 64
M. Kelly	2 17
	$48 28

ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers.

ORDINANCES.

NOTICE.—The following Ordinances relative to Street Improvements are published for information, in accordance with the provision of section 6 of an Act of Assembly, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled an act concerning Streets and Sewers in the city of Pittsburgh, approved March 20th, 1873:

SECTION 6. That no Ordinance or any improvement and no report of viewers shall be finally acted upon by both branches of Councils until at least one week after its representation and publication in official papers authorized to do the city printing.

And will be presented to Councils for final action at next meeting.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the Pittsburgh, Allegheny and Manchester Passenger Railway Company to repave Sixth street from Penn avenue to the Suspension bridge.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the Pittsburgh, Allegheny and Manchester Passenger Railway Company be and they are hereby authorized to repave Sixth street between the outer rail of their tracks and the curb, from Penn avenue to the Suspension bridge, with the Ligonier or Lancaster stone block pavement, the work to be done under the supervision and direction of the City Engineer and Street Commissioner in accordance with specifications prepared, therefore.

SECTION 2. In consideration thereof, the city of Pittsburgh does hereby agree to release the said company from the payment of the annual tax of two hundred (200) dollars, for the space of five years from the date of the acceptance of the terms of this ordinance.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the construction of a sewer on Brady street from south line of Second avenue to Monongahela river.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a brick and stone sewer, eight feet in diameter on Brady street from the south line of Second avenue to the Monongahela river, and to let the same in the manner directed by an act concerning streets, approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto, and ordinances of Councils relative to the same; the cost and expense of the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly, entitled "An act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the opening of Craig street from Fifth avenue to Forbes street.

WHEREAS It appears that a majority in interest has petitioned for the opening of Craig street from Fifth avenue to Forbes street, therefore,

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open within sixty days from the date of the passage of this Ordinance Craig street from Fifth avenue to Forbes street, at a width of fifty feet, in accordance with plan on file in Engineer's office. The damage caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an Act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pitsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the grading, paving and curbing of Water street, from Penn avenue to Duquesne Way.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the grading, paving and curbing of Water street, from Penn avenue to Duquesne Way; and to let the same in the manner directed by an Act concerning Streets, approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto, and ordinances of Councils relative to the same.

E. S. MORROW, Clerk.

DIED.

McMASTERS—On Saturday evening, October 10, 1874, at 8½ o'clock, SALLIE E. McMASTERS, wife of Dr. David M. McMasters, and daughter of Mrs. Keziah P. and the late Daniel Negley, in the 23d year of her age.

Funeral TUESDAY, the 13th inst., at 2½ o'clock, from the residence of Mrs. Keziah P. Negley, Hiland avenue. Carriages will leave Fairman & Samson's, Seventh avenue, at 1½ o'clock.

EVANS—On Saturday, 2 P. M., DAVID NEWTON, son of D. N. and Maggie A. Evans, aged 1 year, 7 months and 22 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence, No. 547 Fifth avenue, TO-DAY, at 2 P. M.

IRVINE—At 3:30 P. M., Saturday, October 10, 1874, WILLIAM IRVINE, in the 38th year of his age.

The friends of the family are repectfully invited to attend the funeral from the residence of his family, No. 216 First street, between Grant and Ross streets, TO-DAY, at 10 A. M.

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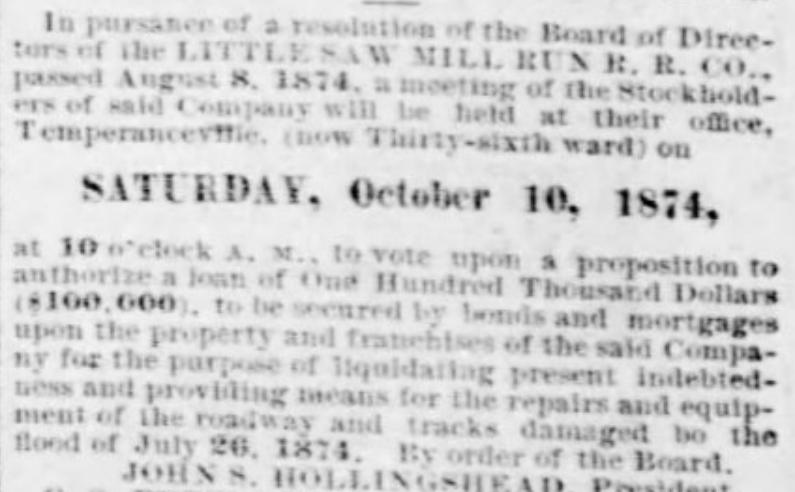

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SATURDAY, October 10, 1874,

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